

# Crittenden Record-Press

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## TEACHERS INSTITUTE IN SESSION

Prof. T. C. Cherry, Instructor.  
Good Enrollment and Interest is Manifested

The Crittenden County Teachers Institute convened at the School Auditorium Monday morning. Was called to order by the County Supt. E. J. Travis. Devotional service by Rev. R. Robinson. V. L. Christian was elected President, Geo. W. Condit, Vice President, Mrs. Fred Hillyard, Secretary, Miss Iva Hicklin, Assistant Secretary. Address by the County Superintendent, in which he stated the object of the Institute and urged every teacher to be ready for duty and spoke of the intended outline of the week's work.

The Institute Instr. T. C. Cherry, was introduced. In his address he presented many practical thoughts; the individual teacher, upon their efforts depends the success of this Institute; and upon each individual teacher depends the success of the school. He says, "my central theme this week shall be the child. What we want to talk about this week is a few fundamentals 'dealing with the child'." In this lecture he set the keynote for the weeks work.

Following this address was that of A. C. Moore.—Subject, "Civic Training." He touched on the many phrases and features of this theme, saying, "teach justice, love, forbearance, charity, forgiveness, law abiding. Crops must be raised, home must be protected and patriotism impressed. His short speech was very much enjoyed by the teachers and he was greeted by great applause.

Institute adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

First day in school was discussed by Fred Hillyard.

Correlation of Daily Program was discussed by G. W. Condit, followed by Supt. Travis and Mr. Phillips.

Recess.

Music. Announcements by County Supt.

Record of pupils what they should they include.—Miss Sue Moore.

A letter from the office of the State Superintendent was announced by the County Superintendent.

County examinations and graduation exercises was discussed by Mrs. Locke Hillyard, followed by the County Superintendent and Instructor.

"Why the schools are failing in preparing children for High School" was logically discussed by Hollis C. Franklin and others.

Adjournment until Tuesday morning.

Tuesday morning.  
Devotional service.—Rev. H. V. Escott.

A specimen of sweet clover was presented to the Institute by G. C. Johnson.

oldest "kids" in the Institute. Miss Iva Hicklin is keeping to day's record.

If you want an Educational Journal see Miss Ethel Hard.

There is about 80 teachers enrolled.

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### To The Public.

I wish to advise that I have taken charge of the Singer Sewing machine agency, at Marion, Ky., and invite you to come in our new location at Tucker's Furniture store and see our new style machines before buying. Buy now and pay later. Easy terms and fair treatment to all. Needles and supplies for all makes of machines. All makes of machines repaired. Phone No. 53-2.—W. B. James, Marion, Ky.

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### Bathers Run Through

#### City, Carrying Clothes

Vincennes, Ind., July 20.—Thomas MaManus, Dewey Sodan and Andrew Carrell were each fined \$25 and costs in Mayor House's court for trespassing. The men were caught taking a plunge in the reservoir of the Vincennes Water Supply company. The police knowing that the water in the reservoir was used by the people of Vincennes for drinking purposes after it is filtered. The men, carrying all their clothing ran down a city street for seven blocks before being caught.

### Graveyard Notice

The graveyard at Hurricane will be cleaned off Tuesday Aug. 1st. All interested are requested to come and to bring tools and dinner prepared to put in a days work.

Josh Hamilton,  
Sam Lucas, Com.

### New Harness And Shoe Shop.

We have bought Tucker & Moore's shoe repair shop and are now prepared to do all kinds shoe repairing, so bring your shoes, harness and saddles. Can do your work on short notice. Give us your work. You will find us at Tucker's Furniture Store. Parris & Paris.

### Unusually Accomplished Girl

#### —Visited Here Last Christmas.

Miss Marjorie Kimpton whose visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Roberts during the Christmas festivities of the year made her a most lovable guest, has completed her school studies passing the State Normal School examinations, and has been appointed by the Chicago Board of Education to the Nujra Bradwell grammar school, one of the larger schools of Chicago and but a short distance from the Kimpton home.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kind administrations to our mother, Emily S. Vaughn, in her last illness. May Gods richest blessings attend them all.

Her Children.

### Council Votes To Buy

#### Mayfield Light Plant.

Mayfield, Ky., July 12.—The general council Monday night gave a committee power to purchase the Mayfield Water and Light company for \$172,000. The company has offered to sell for \$275,000. The council also directed the city attorney to draft an ordinance regulating water and light rates for Mayfield.

## HEMORRHAGE KILLS M. C. SUTHERLAND

Was on His Way Home For a Visit  
But Dies in Shawneetown, Ill.,  
Before Arriving Here

The death of Maurice C. Sutherland at Shawneetown, Ill., Thursday morning was indeed pathetic. He had sent his wife and baby ahead on the train from Kappa, Ill., their home and was hurrying through in his automobile to join them here on a visit to his parents in his old home. The exertion was too much for him. He was stricken with a hemorrhage Sat. July 15th and came near dying on the streets, "a stranger in a strange land."

He was finally identified, by a lodge badge he was wearing, by telegraphing to the lodge at El Paso, Texas, and later by messages from Masonic and Railroad fraternities at Kappa, Ill., his late home. It was not learned until next day when he rallied and regained consciousness and was able to talk feebly, that his loved ones were all so near him, in Marion—and that his destination. A message reached here at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon telling of his plight and his wife left on the 3 o'clock train going via Henshaw and reaching him before night, as a car awaited her and quickly reached the Ohio river which was soon crossed. He seemed to rally and was thought to be on the high road to recovery when a second attack, on Thursday morning early, sapped his remaining strength and left him loser in the battle with grim reaper. His remains were brought here Thursday afternoon and taken to the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Sutherland from which he was given a Masonic burial Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the New Cemetery.

There were many and beautiful flowers. The deceased was born June 28th 1883, and was therefore 33 years and 22 days old at the time of his death. He was married Feb. 28, 1910 to Miss Ella Hartenbower, of Tonica, Ill., and she and one son, three years of age survive besides his parents and two brothers, John of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and Ira of Phoenix, Ariz., and 3 sisters, Mrs. Nelke Calvin of Hickman, Ky., and Bernice and Mabel of this city.

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sented them as a birthday gift to Mr. Crider stating at the time that she gave two because in Scripture or somewhere else is stated that one should not be alone.

Several people standing near, said that Mr. Crider really blushed, but an insurance agent blushing is inconceivable.

It is more likely the rays of an electric light flashing through the eyes of one of the society ladies rested on his face a moment.

The question arose last evening as to why there were not three birthday celebrants instead of two. Mrs. Wilson has not had our knowledge a birthday since she was twenty years old. It is of course possible that she may be now thirty one but she does not look it. Visitor

Miss Nell Walker's Sunday School class surprised her with a birthday party in the basement of the Methodist church on Monday July 17th. Mesdames Claude Lamb and Clarence Mayes were hostesses this month for the monthly meeting of class No. 4. Miss Walker Walker was presented with a large birthday cake decorated with sixteen candles.

### Two Friends Die in same week

Lacey Godfrey and Gilmore Faris started out to work with a circus about the same time, six years ago, and fate has worked their careers that both met tragic deaths and during the same week, Faris on Monday and Godfrey on Friday. They had traveled much together, but for the past few years they had drifted apart. Faris remaining with the circus was killed by a train and Godfrey going with a carnival company met death by drowning.

—Mayfield Messenger.

### Card Of Thanks

We desire to thank those who so kindly administered to us in the death of our beloved Maurice May God's blessing be upon you is the wish of  
The Sutherlands.

### Mines are Closed Down

Elizabethtown, 17s., July 20—Lead and fluorspar mines at Rosiclar and Fairview, where a strike accompanied by mob violence has been on for several weeks, have closed down indefinitely.

### Important Notice.

We are behind with Mr. Bird's salary and those who subscribed are requested to pay in their subscriptions to the County Secretary Mr. L. E. Crider or to your own local sec'y. J. M. Dean

### Notice to Contractors and Builders.

The County has two school houses to build this year. See me for plans and specifications. E. Jeffrey Travis, County Supt.

### Much Tobacco Ruined in Ter- rific Wind And Hail Storm

Sunday afternoon a terrific wind and hail storm passed from the north east to the south west across Crittenden county doing much damage to crops especially tobacco, much of which in the territory traversed by the storm was ruined. Marion Ford's crop was damaged badly near Piney P. O. Ewell Little lost his crop and his house and trees were badly damaged. We learn there was a great deal of damage in Webster county also in Caldwell county, and very little hail insurance.

## THE HURRICANE CAMP MEETING

Will Begin August 24th And Close  
September 3rd.—Great Meeting  
is Expected

The Hurricane camp meeting will convene August 24, 1916, and close September the 3, 1916, and the workers are E. L. Adams Robt. Lear, Miss Gladys Franks.

There will be a charge of twenty five cents each to all persons attending these meetings, over twelve years of age, on the first Sunday, also on the second Saturday and Sunday, making three days. Those who attend and pay at the morning service on these days may attend without charge at night, but all who do not attend the day services will be charged at night on the above days.

This charge does not apply to families in camps, each family in camp will be required to pay one dollar each, regardless of whether two or more families occupy one camp.

The funds so raised by these charges will be applied towards defraying the expenses of the meeting.

Our motto is "Holiness unto the Lord." The object of the meeting is the Glory of God the up building of His Kingdom, the conversion of sinners, the sanctification of believers.

There will be a hotel run for accommodation of all, at reasonable prices. A restaurant will be open all day for the benefit of all, any one can get a lunch at all hours, from ten cents up according to what is ordered.

Ministers camp will be furnished free of charge to those that come as workers.

As a large number of people are expected to be present, every one will be expected to be as thoughtful and considerate of his neighbor as possible; while there is plenty of time to pray, preach, sing and shout, yet after the closing hour at night every one, without exception, will be expected to be quiet, so that all may rest.

Come praying and let us have a great and good meeting is the request of your committee.—Jas. L. Terry, Sec'y.

### Graveyard Cleaning.

On Tuesday Aug. 20th, 1916 the McMican Graveyard will be cleared off. All interested are invited and expected to be present with tools and dinner prepared to spend the day.

G. W. Arfack, Com.

### Thomas C. Hill Dead.

Thomas C. Hill was born March 15, 1868, in Crittenden county, Ky., and emigrated to the Yakima valley in 1887. Married to Arnalla Jacobs March 22, 1905, died July 10, 1916: professed faith in Christ early in life, being a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church in the east. United with the Church of Christ in North Yakima after locating there; transferring to the Church of Christ at Zillah soon after its organization. He lived an earnest Christian life and was loved by all who knew him. Joined the Independent Order of Odd Fellows at Zillah soon after its organization of the Zillah lodge No. 175 in 1901. He was a fine faithful member to both lodge and church. The funeral services were held

at the Christian church at 1 o'clock, Rev. T. M. White officiating, and paying a beautiful tribute to the memory of the deceased. The casket was covered with the most beautiful floral designs loving fingers ever wrought all of which spoke of peace, purity and immortality. The music played by the quartett was such as soften all hearts and moisten all eyes. At the close of the service an unusually long procession followed the hearse to our silent city. The I. O. O. F., had charge of the services.

Besides a devoted wife he leaves his father H. C. Hill and four brothers: Frank, Harve, Nute and Will.—Zillah Free Press.



Miss Addie Maynard and Mr. Guy Lamb were united in marriage at Goldsboro, Ill., two weeks ago, it is said, but it was not generally known except by a few intimate friends until they left in their Overland car Wednesday morning for Bowling Green and other parts on a bridal trip.

The news of the marriage of this popular couple was a great surprise, as the bride had contracted to teach in Union county this fall and no one knew that cupid's dart had pierced her heart, and that she had decided to teach a school of one in Crittenden instead of a full school in Union county.

The bride is a grand-daughter of the late John Ann. Clark and made her home with his widow, her grand-mother. She is a bright and attractive girl and popular with all who know her.

The groom is a member of the firm of Asher & Lamb, one of Marion's leading groceries.

A wedding of one of our most prominent couples was that of Miss Glenn Carter, of the Union section, to Dr. J. Luke Hayden, of Salem, Ky., which was solemnized in the study of the pastor of the Christian church, at Paducah, to which city they went Tuesday afternoon in Dr. Hayden's car, accompanied by the bride's sister Miss Adeline Carter and the groom's brother Frederick Hayden and his sister Mrs. Savage, of Salem. The bride is a strikingly handsome brunette and belongs to one of the best families of the county. She has taught for several sessions in the county schools, and is bright and talented.

The groom is being congratulated on all sides. He belongs to the prominent Salem family which bears his name and which has done much to make all enterprises successful in that rich and aristocratic little city. He's a successful practitioner and has a brilliant future.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden will return to Salem after a short trip and will reside there where both are exceedingly popular. The Record-Press extends congratulations.

Married quietly at the Presbyterian Manse, by the Rev. H. V. Escott, Miss May Humes, daughter of Mr. Sam Humes of Ark., and Mr. Audrey Clark, son of Mr. D. A. Clark of Marion. The brides dress was white net and lace and she carried pink roses. The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Harris, Mrs. S. M. Jenkins, Miss Lena Woods, Miss Sallie Woods, Miss Marie Clark, Mrs. Summers, Miss Woods of St. Louis. The bride received many pretty presents.



## Why Depend on Somebody Else?

Universal Military Service Can Be Effected  
in United States Without Trace of  
Militarism or Departure from  
Ideals

By MAJ. GEN. LEONARD WOOD  
Commander Department of the East, United States Army



MAJ. GEN. WOOD  
The military systems of Switzerland and Austria appeal to me very strongly as models which we could follow to our advantage in all which pertains to military training. Switzerland has had her system in operation long enough to make its application general, and as a result, while a peaceful, orderly country, she stands always ready to defend her rights and to guard her territory. She is absolutely free from all indication of militarism, as ordinarily understood, and yet every man in Switzerland who is physically fit has received a sufficient amount of training to make him an effective and efficient soldier; that this has served to benefit and uplift the people is conclusively shown by her low criminal rate, which is only a fraction of ours, and by the admitted conservatism of her people, their law-abiding habits, their patriotism and their respect for the rights of others. Contrast her position of today with that of another small European country, which, unlike her, had not made due preparation.

In both Switzerland and Austria a large amount of instruction is given through public schools or during the school period of the youth—so much, indeed, that only two or three months of intensive training in camp are necessary to complete training of the soldier. The officers take a longer and more intensive course, but the system in both countries is worked out so that there is practically no interference with the industrial or educational careers of those under training.

There has been little or no effect in this country in this great question of military training. There has been a general policy and a blind dependence upon volunteers; in other words, a dependence upon someone else doing one's work. It is an illogical system. There is no reason why one group of the population should assume that another group is going to voluntarily perform their military duties.

The obligation to military service is universal. It is a tax upon which all others depend, and a nation which fails to recognize this prepares its own downfall. This general training can all be effected as has been done in Switzerland and Austria without a trace of militarism, without any departure from ideals, and with a great resulting improvement in the morale, physique and character of our youth.

In Switzerland and Austria the training of young boys is principally of a calisthenic character. Later they pass to rifle shooting and military formations. The final finish is put upon them in training at the camps which immediately precede their entry into the first line of the country's defense.

You must not think that war is one of the great destroyers of human life. It does take many lives, but it is among the lesser causes of loss of life. Our industrial casualties of all kinds amount to something over 450,000 a year. Of these, about 78,000 or 79,000 result fatally—a loss rather exceeding the average loss of life of two years of the Civil war. Most of these accidents are preventable. The public interest in life-saving is not sufficiently keen to insist on adequate legislation to this end. The losses in the war are more dramatic, more startling, but the lives lost in every-day work in the struggle for existence exceed them vastly in number and run on without ceasing during both peace and war.

The following is a little illustration of the case of our own country, namely, in ten peaceful Fourths of July (the last July 4, 1910), approximately 1,800 persons were killed and something over 35,000 wounded in celebrating the success of a war which ended nearly 130 years before. The number killed equals the number killed in battle or who died of wounds in the Spanish-American war, the Philippine rebellion and the Indian wars of a number of years preceding. The wounded of these ten peaceful days aggregate seven and a half times the wounded of all these wars. I tell you these things not to prove that war is any less dreadful, or that you should strive less to avoid it, but simply to present to you the truth with reference to the causes which bring about the loss of life.

Do not give up your ideals. Strive for universal peace, but while striving do not forget the conditions under which you are living, and, however much you may hope to obtain a condition of world peace, remember that there is no evidence of it today and that if we want to preserve the institutions which have been handed down to us we must be ready to defend them.

## The Exhaustion of Europe

Europe will be poorer after this war, but she will have at the close of the war millions of highly trained veteran warriors, and in these armies there is menace to the United States. It was because the United States had a million veterans at the close of the Civil war that Maximilian's dream of an empire in Mexico was suddenly dispelled. We expelled an invader then without even making a demonstration, because France knew that we had veteran soldiers with which to enforce our demands.—Conference Committee on National Preparedness.

## All Force Not Immoral!

There are, of course, persons who believe all force is immoral; that it is immoral to resist wrongdoing by force. I have never taken much interest in individuals who profess this kind of morality; and I do not know the extent to which they practically apply it. But, of course, if they are right in the theory, then it is wrong for a man to endeavor by force to save his wife or sister or daughter from rape or other abuse, or to save his children from abduction and torture. It is a waste of time to discuss with any man a position of such folly, wickedness and poltroonery.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

## The Nation That Can't Resist

All must admit the importance of an effective navy to a nation like ours, having such an extensive seacoast to protect. The nation that cannot resist aggression is constantly exposed to it. Its foreign policy is, of necessity, weak and its negotiations are conducted with disadvantage because it is not in condition to enforce the terms dictated by its sense of right and justice.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

## FAIR EXCHANGE

A New Back for an Old One.  
How It Can Be Done  
In Marion.

The back aches at times with a dull, indescribable feeling, making you weary and restless; piercing pains shoot across the region of the kidneys, and again the loins are so lame that to stoop is agony. No use to rub or apply a plaster to the back if the kidneys are weak. You cannot reach the cause. Marion residents would do well to profit by the following example:

J. O. Tabor, farmer, Mexico, Ky., says: "I had kidney trouble for about six years. The pains in my back were severe at times and when I stopped or lifted, sharp twinges shot through my loins. My back always ached more intensely at night and in the morning I felt very lame. I tired easily, was languid and nervous and had headaches. The kidney secretions passed too frequently and caused me annoyance. One and a half boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of the trouble and I am now in good health." Price 50 cents, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Tabor had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Crittenden Circuit Court, June Term 1916.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Crittenden Circuit rendered at the June term 1916, in a suit therein pending, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-House door in Marion, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on Monday the 14th day of August, 1916, at 1 o'clock p. m. or thereabouts, it being county court day, the following described property to wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land in Crittenden county, Ky., and containing 37 1/2 acres and being the same tract of land that was on the 53rd day of February, 1907, conveyed by Obediah Hunt and Martha E. Hunt his wife to Wyatt Hunt, of Crittenden county, Ky., said deed is now of record in deed book No. 21, page 594, clerk's office Crittenden county court.

The full boundary of this tract of land may be seen in my office.

This property will be sold on a credit of six months, purchaser to give bond with approved security, with a lien retained on the land for purchase money and bond having effect of a judgment upon which execution may issue. Said bonds bearing legal interest from date until paid.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

D. A. LOWRY, Commissioner.  
Crittenden Circuit Court.

## BAD TO HAVE A COLD HANG ON

Don't let your cold hang on, rack your system and become chronic when Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will help you. It heals the inflammation, soothes the cough and loosens the phlegm. You breathe easier at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a laxative Tar Syrup the pine tar balsam heals the raw spots, loosens the mucous and prevents irritation of the bronchial tubes. Just get a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey to-day, its guaranteed to help you. A. C. Druggists.

ROLL OF HONOR  
SINCE LAST REPORT

The Following Have Paid Their  
Subscription Since Some  
Time in June

Andrews, E. R5, Time expires Apr '17  
Arfack, J. H., City June 1917  
Brightman, Wm. A., Sullivan, May '16  
Brown, J. M. Dwight, Ibs., June 1917  
Barnette, Wm. City May 1917  
Brantley, W. H. Gladstone, April 1917  
Bennett, G. B. Lois, May 1917  
Babb, Mrs. A. C. City, Nov. 1916  
Bigham, E. H. Crayne, Jan. 1917  
Brown, H. C. Deanwood, June 1917  
Brightman, K. L. Sullivan, Jan 1917  
Brown, Herman R 1 City June 1916  
Binkley, Josh, Route 3 Sept 1916  
Burklow, Thos. Fleming, June 1917  
Butler, W. T. Route 4 Sept. 1916  
Belt, Mrs. Mary T. Route 5 Dec. 1916  
Burns, Lee Hercules, Cal. June 1917  
Cruce, Mrs. F. M. Tiliene, Jan. 1917

Chambers, Mrs. J. Mt. Vernon June '17  
Cook, Dr. O. C. City, May 1917  
Corum, Mrs. M. Joy, June 1916  
Campbell, Mrs. Nancy, Fre. Dec 1916  
Cully, Jno. W. Sturgis, May 1917  
Carter, Thos. H. Salem Jan. 1917  
Clement, J. I. City Jan. 1917  
Crow, W. H. RFD 4 Sept. 1916  
Calloway, J. T. Greenfield Oct. 1916  
Carlson, Mrs. W. T., P. B. Mo. Aug '16  
Chambliss, J. G. Sturgis, Ky. Jan 1917  
Custard, J. W. Route 5 Jan. 1917  
Clark, Prof. Z. E. Route 5 Jan. 1917  
Davis, G. W. City Aug 1916  
Dorr, R. F. City Jan 1917  
Daniels, H. P. Route 4 June 1917  
Denny, O. S. City March 1917  
Duvall, J. W. R 4 Feb 1917  
Deboe, Miss Era Smithboro, Mar 1917  
Davidson, Thos. J. Henderson Dec '16  
Enoch, Robt. Route 4 May 1917  
Fox, Dr. J. E. Smithland, Dec 1916  
Ford, J. H. R. Piney, Ky. Jan 1917  
Goodloe, J. W. City June 1917  
Guess, M. W. Shady Gr. July 1917  
Gahagan, E. M. Sullivan May 1917  
Griffith, Walter Marion June 1917  
Grissom, J. B. City June 1917  
Givens, M. K. Deanwood June 1917  
Guess, J. H. Route 1 March 1917  
Griffith Guy RFD 3 Apr 1917  
Gill, Mrs. Sarah City Jan 1917  
Guess, T. C. City Jan 1917  
Glore, James W. City May 1917  
Hina, J. B. Sullivan Jan 1917  
Henry, Norman, Festus, Mo. June '17  
Henry, Sam, Charleston, Mo. June '17  
Highfield, Lefe Tolu March 1917  
Haynes, J. G. Richhill Mo. Jan. 1917  
Haffaw Mining Co., Mexico June 1917  
Hughes, Chas. L. Route 1 Dec 1916  
Hillyard, F. H. Tolu Sept 1917  
Hughes, L. L. Route 2 Feb. 1917  
Hunt, Hosea Route 5 July 1917  
Hunt, Alex. City May 1917  
Hillyard, G. W. Route 5 July 1917  
Humphrey, Rev. W. D. July 1917  
James, E. H. Louisville Apr 1917  
Jacobs, H. P. Toppenish May 1917  
Jennings, W. F. Fredonia July 1917  
King, Geo. A. Route 2 Dec 1916  
King, E. R. Mexico Apr 1917  
Kevill, K. K. Malden, Mo. June 1917  
Langley, E. B. Pittsburg June 1917  
Lamb, J. R. Grand Junction May '17  
Lowery, D. A. Fredonia Jan '17  
Lamb, J. W. Fleming Feb '17  
Lug, Jane Benard, Ks. May '17  
Little, E. C. Piney Jan '17  
Morgan, J. T. Fredonia R1 Aug '16  
Morris, H. F. City May '17  
Martin, Harry L. Salem Mar '17  
Miliken, Finis Sheridan July '17  
Mayes, J. H. City May '17  
McCoy, Mrs. Grace Paducah May '17  
McElmurry, J. H. Salem June '17  
McConnell, W. T. City Jan '17  
McChesney, J. M. City June '16  
McDowell, F. L. Gladstone Feb '17  
McChesney, H. D. Paducah Nov '17  
McGregor, C. E. City June '17  
McFee, Ed. City July '17  
Nunn, Roy Sullivan Feb '17  
Nesbit, Robt. Route 4 June '17  
Norris, Mrs. Josie Sheridan Sept '16  
Nunn, T. J. City May '17  
Nelson, Eda. Fredonia R 2 July '17  
Parish, J. B. Savannah Ga June '17  
Postleweight, Albie R4 July '16  
Parr, J. A. Fredonia Dec '16  
Parr, J. D. Fredonia Nov '16  
Parr, J. H. Blue Spring Dec '16  
Phillips, H. Le Lande N. M. May '17  
Postleweight, J. R. City Jul '16  
Phillips, J. W. Casad Mar '17  
Paris, M. L. Woodville Apr '17  
Potter, S. H. Salem Jan '17  
Pierce, G. C. St Louis Jul '17  
Reed, A. H. City Dec '16  
Robertson, Ed. M. Route 3 Jan '16  
Royster, Rev. A. Tolu Oct '16  
Slaton, W. E. Sturgis Ky May '17  
Spees, John C. City June '16  
Stinson, Mrs. Beulah Ibs June '17  
Stubblefield, Mrs. Ida Salem June '17  
Samuels, J. P. Sullivan Jan '17  
Turley, S. M. City Aug '16  
Turley, J. B. Vienna, Ibs Aug '16  
Thomas, A. W. Leithfield June '17  
Terry, Markham City June '17  
Tarekeld, A. S. Fredonia June '17  
Taylor, Gus. City Jan '17  
Travis, Jas. M. Deanwood, Feb '17  
Tosh, J. W. Route 5 July '17  
Whitney, Herbert Big Sprg Jan '17  
Whiteler, A. L. Huntington, Tx Mar '17  
Wiles, Edwin L. N. Y. Dec '17  
Wilson, J. A. Route 1 Feb '16  
Ward, Nathan City Mar '16  
Wilson, Dora Deanwood Apr '17  
Woodson, S. F. Blackford Jan '17  
Wilborn, Mrs. J. E. City June '17  
Walker, B. F. Sr. City June '17  
Woods, Mrs. D. E., St Louis June '17  
Walker, C. C. Deanwood Aug '16  
Wright, Mrs. L. B. City June '17  
White, A. H. Nashville June '17  
Wring, F. M. Salem June '17  
Yates, B. L. City May '16

## Your Optical Work.

Gold mountings in frames or rimless spectacles \$4.00. Eye glasses in frames or mountings \$4.00. Other kind in proportion. Office lower floor Jenkins' Bldg. Saturdays and Mondays only. Geo W. Stone, Optometrist.

## Found Spider In Woman's Ear

Princeton Ky, July 17.—Mrs. Bertha Erwin, residing near this place, was aroused from her slumber a few nights ago by a

secular buzzing in her right ear. She made unsuccessful attempts at obtaining relief from the unpleasant sensation, and finally came here and consulted a physician. After examination the spider from her ear, and relief from the annoying sensation was felt.

The spider had been in Mrs. Erwin's ear for more than thirty hours.

Uses Of Castor, Other Remedies Won't Cure  
The worst case, no matter how long standing, is cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. J. C. Williams' Kidney and Bladder Pills. It relieves pain and drains at the same time. 25c. Box. 40c. Doz.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Crittenden Circuit Court, June Term 1916.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court rendered at the June term 1916, in a suit therein pending, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court-house door in Marion, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on Monday the 14th day of August 1916 at 1 o'clock or thereabouts, it being County Court day, the following described property to wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land near the corporate limits of the town of Marion, Ky., and containing about 8 acres, and being the same tract that was on the 17th day of September, 1906, conveyed by J. H. Mayes and Mary E. Mayes his wife to T. L. Lamb and Noma Lamb, of Crittenden county, Ky., the deed to which is now on record in deed book No. 21, page 494, clerk's office Crittenden county court.

The full boundary of this tract of land may be seen in my office.

This property will be sold on a credit of six months, purchaser to give bond with approved security, with a lien retained on the land for purchase money and bond having effect of a judgment upon which execution may issue. Said bonds bearing legal interest from date until paid.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

D. A. LOWRY, Commissioner.  
Crittenden Circuit Court.



"What's your hurry?"  
"My fire insurance expires at noon!"  
"What company are you in?"  
"I don't bother about details."  
"Ever take notes from your customers?"  
"Sometimes."  
"Ever take a note without knowing the name of the man who made it?"  
"Well, I guess not!"  
"What is a note, anyway?"  
"A promise to pay."  
"What's a fire insurance policy?"  
"I get you! A promise to pay if you have a fire."  
"Exactly. You're paying good money for a promise to pay without knowing the name of the company that promises!"  
"Say, what company are you in?"  
"The panic-proof Hartford Fire Insurance Company. A company that has promptly settled every honest loss for 105 years."  
May we show YOU a Hartford policy? Costs no more than others.

The Hartford  
Fire Insurance  
Company

Write or Telephone  
GEORGE H. NUNN  
LOCAL AGENT,  
MARION, KENTUCKY

HECTOR'S PERSONNEL  
BROUGHT INTO PORT

Last 21 Of 142 Men Taken Off  
Just Before Collier  
Broke In Two

Charleston, S. C., July 15.—All of the 142 men who were aboard the collier Hector when she went down last night off the South Carolina coast were brought to Charleston today by rescuing vessels. Many had minor bruises and four including the chief engineer, was taken to a local hospital with serious injuries. The last twenty one of the men were taken off to day by the lighthouse tender Cy. press just before the vessel finally broke in two.

TENNESSEE RIVER FLOOD  
CAUSES \$1,000,000 LOSS

Million Acres Of Corn And Peanuts Are Under Water.

Knoxville, Tenn., July 24th.—A million acres of corn and peanuts in Tennessee river valley between Chattanooga and Paducah Ry., are under water from four to fifteen feet as a result of a swollen condition of the Tennessee river in that section. The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000. Many persons are homeless. Reports from Drawbridge about forty miles up the river indicate many acres of farms inundated and that crop damage was heavy.

ROSEWOOD CAMP  
NUMBER 22  
WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

Meet in regular session on  
the 2nd and 4th, Monday  
Evenings in each month  
At seven o'clock.  
S. H. RAMAGE, Clerk.

Sharks With Human Flesh  
In Stomach Is Killed.

New York, July 26.—A monster shark whose stomach contained part of a human body was killed at Keyport, N. J., today, a goodly catch which was received at the weather bureau for the observation at Long Branch New Jersey.

The shark, weighing 300 lbs., and eleven feet long, was killed near the mouth of Matawan creek, N. J., and is undoubtedly the same fish which invaded the creek and killed two persons the weather bureau's informant reported.

## WHAT CATARRH IS

It has been said that every third person has catarrh in some form.

Science has shown that nasal catarrh often indicates a general weakness of the body; and local treatments in the form of snuffs and vapors do little, if any good.

To correct catarrh you should treat its cause by enriching your blood with the oil-ford in Scott's Emulsion which is a medicinal food and a building tonic, free from alcohol or any harmful drugs. Try it.

Scott & Borne, Bloomfield, N. J.

## Parents of 19 Boys

Corning, A. K.—Frank Scott and wife, of K. Asett, have been married ten years. Nineteen boys have been born to them, all living with the exception of six, who died at birth. Of the 13 living there are three sets of triplets and two sets of twins. The parents have been partial to the letter A in naming them. Ashbel, Archer and Austin, are 4 1/2 years old; Arthur and Arnold, 3 1/2; Allen, Albin and Almond, 2 1/2; Alfred, Albion and Adolph 18 months and Abel and Abner six months.



THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, drives gravel, cures rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is not enough for treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. J. W. Hall, 205 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

## Lincoln's Home Now Relongs to United States

Washington, July 20.—The President today signed the bill receiving on behalf of the Federal Government the log cabin in which Abraham Lincoln was born, near Hodgenville, Ky., and a memorial hall enclosing the cabin. The property was given the Government by the Lincoln Farm Association. The president will speak there in September.



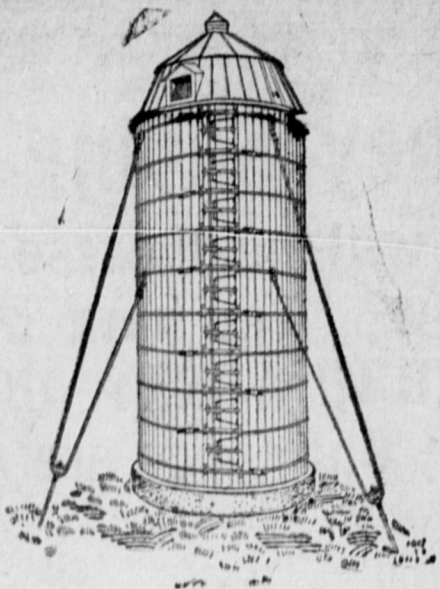
# This is the Year For the Silo.

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Marion, Ky.



## Military Necessity Given

### As Reason-Listing Now

Vienna, July 23—An arrangement has been reached whereby the authorities will take, in turn for payment, two-thirds of the church bells within the monarchy for military purposes.

The agreement issued provides that no bells antedating 1800 will be taken. In the case of churches being equipped with several bells care will be exercised that the one-third retained by the church shall be in harmony so that they can still be used—in other words that the two-thirds share taken shall not be selected indiscriminately.

This method of obtaining a vast amount of raw material has been reached after the completion of a "church bell list" of the empire showing just how many bells are on hand and what their approximate weight is.—Associated Press.

## NEW CEMETERY LOTS TO BE ADVANCED.

The Marion Cemetery Committee will sell lots at \$25.00 each until August 1st, after that date the price will be \$30.00.  
Nelle Walker Secretary.

### Americans To Loan

\$6,000,000 To China

Shanghai, July 20th—The International Investment corporation, and American institution has concluded an agreement with the Chinese Government to lend China \$6,000,000 for the improvement of the Grand canal and funds for the construction of short railways in various parts of China aggregating 1,500 miles. Both works are to be constructed by American contractors.

American financiers also are

negotiating with China for a re-organization loan of \$20,000,000 China to have the right if necessary to obtain an additional \$30,000,000.

### LOOK GOOD—FEEL GOOD.

No one can either feel good nor look good while suffering from constipation. Get rid of that tired, draggy, lifeless feeling by a treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Buy a box to-day, take one or two pills to-night. In the morning that stuffed, dull feeling is gone and you feel better at once. 25c. at your druggist.

### Lose Life When Build-

ing Is Wrecked By Amonia

New York, July 26th—Seven persons were reported killed and a number of others injured when the amonia tank in a Brooklyn butcher shop exploded today. The entire three story building in which the shop was located collapsed, burying the occupants. Work of recovering the bodies was slow. An hour after the explosion it was estimated that twenty to thirty persons were taken to hospitals, some fatally injured.

## MUSTANG

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## LINIMENT

### Germany's Debt To America

According to all appearances at this time, the kaiser's undersea trader has no rights anywhere on earth except those it will enjoy as the result of a firm stand taken by the United States government for the free-

dom of the seas.

Thus the remarkable voyage of the commercial submersible has done more than vindicate American neutrality. It has shown that Germany itself is now depending upon the very law which the United States upheld in its ultimatum against the Tirpitz savageries. The Deutschland has safe harbor here; it will have plenty of sea room when it departs, and on the deep it will not be subject to attack on sight, because it will be protected by the American end not the recent German theory of ocean traffic.—New York World.

## COAL! COAL! COAL!

You don't need coal now to warm by.

Do not think you can lose by a little delay in filling your coal houses, but by waiting you stand a chance to gain.—J. Wesley Lamb.

### Says Gulf Stream

Change Brings Sharks.

New York July 28th—A new theory to explain the presence of schools of sharks along the north Atlantic coast was offered by Capt. William Jenzen of the United Fruit steamship Calamates, which arrived here. He expressed the belief that the gulf stream has curved towards the coast and that tropical fish of every variety will soon abound in waters adjacent to Long Island Sound. Two hundred miles from New York Sunday night Captain Jenzen said the temperature of the water was 74 degrees, unusually high for that latitude.

### ELECTRIC HEATING DEVICES.

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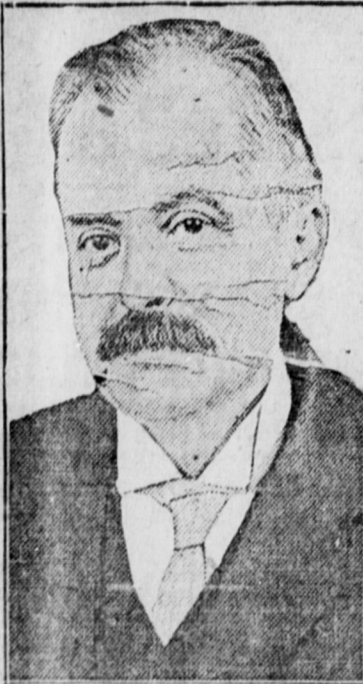
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## ACCUSED OF BEING A SPY



Edward Cordis was taken from a ship flying the American flag by Canadians, stripped, searched and thrown into jail as a German spy. Cordis, who is an American seaman, was given no trial and was ill fed and roughly treated until a United States consul took a hand and put a stop to the high-handed proceedings.

## TURTLES AS TOMMIES' PETS

British Soldiers on the Tigris Amuse Themselves With Captured Tortoises.

London.—During lulls in the fighting on the Tigris British soldiers off duty found it very hard to amuse themselves, according to Edmund Candler, the British press representative in Mesopotamia.

At one time when the British force intrenched near El Hannah, because the Turkish position was too strong to be taken by a direct frontal attack, the soldiers found themselves on a narrow strip of ground with the Tigris on one side and a salt marsh on the other.

The soldiers enjoyed bathing in the salt marshes, and a favorite sport was catching tortoises. A Tommy Atkins would tie a string around the leg of his pet and put him up on the parapet of the trenches to graze while he fought the enemy.

The pet of one of the soldiers, a Scotsman, found too little food on the parapet, and died. The body of the victim was gravely buried by the soldiers with an identification disk about its neck.

## "TELEPHONE" CURES THIRST

French Soldier Makes a Confession and Penalty Is Lessened by Half.

Paris.—A court-martial at the front. The presiding officer, speaking with a distinctly kindly intonation, to the accused:

"Now, now, admit that you telephoned."

"No, my colonel, I did not telephone."

"If you confess, you will only have half the penalty."

"Well, then, yes, my colonel, I did telephone."

All the court laughed and a nominal sentence was pronounced.

The civilian should not imagine that the use of a telephone is a crime in the French army. To "telephone," in army slang, is to bore a little hole in a full barrel of wine, to fit a rubber tube thereto and apply the mouth to the other end.

## LOST IDENTITY FOR YEARS

Man Hurt in San Francisco Earthquake, Recovers His Memory in Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Samuel Samuels of San Francisco "awoke" in Milwaukee, he says, after his memory had been dimmed for ten years through an injury sustained during the San Francisco earthquake.

Wandering aimlessly, as though lost, Samuels, who is about 60 years old, accosted a policeman at Van Buren and Brady streets with the question, "Am I in San Francisco?" When told that he was in Milwaukee, 2,000 miles from Frisco, Samuels was dubious.

"I owned a clothing store in Frisco and had money," he said. "Where have I been and how have I lived all this time? I know I have wandered and tramped to many places, but until this day I did not know my own name or where I belonged."

## THIS PASTOR IS A GIANT

Man Over Six Feet in Height Preaches the Gospel at Church in Lyons, Neb.

Lyons, Neb.—Rev. Charles Wayne Ray, pastor of the Methodist church here, stands six feet four inches in his stocking feet. He is well proportioned.

In his first pastorate in Nebraska, at Crawford, he succeeded in lifting a debt that had hung over the church for 20 years.

From Crawford he went to Valentine, where another debt was soon cleared. Later he went to Columbus, where the struggling congregation was placed firmly on its feet.

After four years at Columbus he was transferred to this town. He is forty-one years old.

## Farm For Sale.

Farm for sale at a bargain, 104 acre valley farm, 30 acres of branch bottom, 1 1/2 miles north of Repton. Good state of cultivation, good improvements. For further information call or write F. W. Moore, Repton Ky 5t pd.

## Sharks Kill Two Bathers

Along New Jersey Coast

Matawon N. J., July 28th—Lester Stillwell, age 12, was killed by a man-eating shark while bathing in Raritan bay, near here, this afternoon. Stanley Fisher 24 years old who went to his assistance, was so badly injured in the struggle with the sea monster that he died while on the way to a hospital.

Joseph Dinn, 12 years old was also attacked and one leg so badly torn that it must be amputated. This is the third time in two weeks that sharks have claimed the lives of bathers along the New Jersey coast.—Associated Press.

## REPTON FARMERS

UNION PRODUCE and SUPPLY COMPANY

### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Repton, Ky., June 20, 1916.—It having been resolved by the vote of the majority of the directors in the Repton Farmers Union Produce and Supply Co., to close its business and wind up its affairs as a corporation, notice is hereby given that the business of said corporation is being closed and any person or persons having claims against said corporation are requested to present same for payment to the President and Secretary of the Board of Directors, W. S. Duvall President, W. E. Smith Sec'y., on or before July 25th, 1916, at which time distribution of the assets of said corporation shall be made among the stockholders according to law.

The Repton Farmers Union and Produce Company, Incorporated. W. S. Duvall President. By W. E. Smith Sec'y., of the Board of Directors. 4t 76

### Crittenden Fiscal Court, Special Term, Con., 1st. Day of July/1916

On motion of Esq. Yandell, second by Esq. Riley, it is ordered that the sum of one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per day be allowed for each, plow and team, wagon and team, scraper and team and grader and team, when warned by the road overseers, for work on road, beginning April 15, 1916, and ending September 15, 1916.

All magistrates voting yea.

On motion which carried, it is ordered that all road overseers, be and they are hereby directed to make sworn report to the county court clerk between the 15th, day of September, 1916, and the 1st, day of October, 1916

both dates inclusive, for work done on their respective roads between the 15th, day of April, 1916, and the 15th, day of September, 1916. And the county clerk shall not accept report of any road overseer after the 1st, day of October, 1916, unless upon proper affidavit of said overseer, approved and accepted by county judge.

All magistrates voting yea. A Copy attest: L. E. GUESS, Clerk Crittenden county court.

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Range: Resident throughout the United States, southern Canada, and northern Mexico.

Habits and economic status: The little screech owl inhabits orchards, groves, and thickets, and hunts for its prey in such places as well as along hedgerows and in the open. During warm spells in winter it forages quite extensively and stores up in some hollow tree considerable quantities of food for use during inclement weather. Such larders frequently contain enough mice or other prey to bridge over a period of a week or more. With the exception of the burrowing owl it is probably the most insectivorous of the nocturnal birds of prey. It feeds also upon small mammals, birds, reptiles, batrachians, fish, spiders, crabs, scorpions, and earthworms. Grasshoppers, crickets, ground-dwelling beetles, and caterpillars are its favorites among insects, as are field mice among mammals and sparrows among birds. Out of 324 stomachs examined, 169 were found to contain insects; 142, small mammals; 56, birds, and 15, crabs. The screech owl should be encouraged to stay near barns and outhouses, as it will keep in check house mice and wood mice, which frequent such places.

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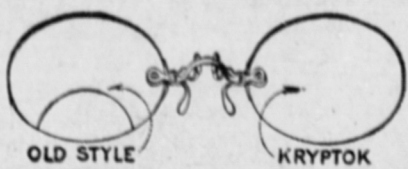
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### CRITTENDEN RECORD-PRESS.

Marion, Ky., July 27, 1916.

S. M. JENKINS.  
Editor and Publisher

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### Sun's Daily Thought.

There is a day coming in which God will bring to light every hidden service of His children, and will let assembled worlds see the delight He has had in that which has met no eye, but which has gladdened the heart of our father in heaven.—Hudson Taylor.

The late Maurice Clinton Sutherland was thoughtful of those he loved and of those dependent upon him, as shown by his provision for them in life insurance. He carried three thousand dollars insurance, one in each of the following companies "Woodmen of the World," Phoenix Mutual and New England Mutual one thousand each for his wife his son and his mother.

During the good roads propaganda, one man, a good speaker was feared by those favoring the bums. He was evidently opposed to spending any money in making roads. At one of his meetings he was telling how enjoyable these miserable roads were when one of two little boys who were listening said to the other, "I did not know he could speak like that, why he has the voice of a cantalope."

### TOLU

Mr. Ed Flanaoy and little daughter Leberta of Louisville are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Kit Shephard.

Foster Lee Threlkeld has returned home from Elkton, where he graduated this summer.

Mr. J. W. Guess Mrs. F. T. Brown and baby spent the day Tuesday at her home of J. M. Barnes.

Miss Eula Jacobs, of Glendale is visiting her grand mother Mrs.

Crat Stephenson this week.

Mrs. Jennie Simpson and Miss Maud Lawrence of Evansville Ind. are visiting Kit Shephard and family.

M. B. Moore took some hogs to Evansville on the Lowery Wednesday morning.

Mrs. John Grimes, Miss Kittie Clement Miss Myrtle Higginbotham and Neil Guess comprised a party that left here Wednesday on the Lowery for a trip to Mammoth Cave.

J. E. Philips wife and children spent last week with his mother Mrs. Brown Phillips.

Mrs. J. A. Hammond and son Joseph are visiting her mother and sister Mrs. Lear and Mrs. Lila Harpending.

T. T. Guess went to Marion Thursday on business.

Miss Clara Crawford with a Marion party motored to Paducah last week.

P. B. Croit made a trip to Evansville last week and purchased an Interstate automobile.

Mrs. T. F. Harris, Trice Bennett and family, have returned to their home at Marion, after having spent the latter part of the week at the farm.

Mrs. Clyde Lucas and Children spent Sunday with John Slemaker and family.

J. W. Slemaker and son Edmond have returned home from Kansas, where they worked during the wheat harvest.

The "Builders" had their regular meeting with Mrs. M. B. Moore Tuesday week. After an interesting program of music and games was rendered, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurie Nunn were the guests of Galen Dixon and family Sunday.

Mrs. Niles Minner and baby went to Marion Sunday to spend a few days with friends there from Marion to Princeton to visit her sister Mrs. Johnson.

Misses Mary Lou and Bertha Barnes are guests of Mrs. Foster Brown this week.

Little Miss Gladys Tackell visited John Wright and family Sunday and Monday.

Rev. Royster and wife are away in a meeting at Hebron.

### Glendale

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Griffith July 20th a daughter.

Mr. Leonhart of Louisville was was down in the interest of the Commodore mine last week and was the guest of J. B. White.

Clarence J. Moore, wife and son Chas. Johnson of Cartersville Ill., were guests of her sister

Mrs. Clarence Wilson Saturday night and visited his grand mother R. D. Moore and family Sunday.

Mrs. B. L. Yates and little daughter Ruth of Marion visited relatives and friends in this neighborhood several days last week.

T. E. Griffith and daughter Mrs. Hatcher visited Miss Emma Terry in the Forest Grove neighborhood one day last week.

Quite a good many of our people have been attending the Deer Creek meeting the past week.

The following teachers are attending the teachers institute in Marion: Elbert Thomas Misses Mary and Sue Moore and Mary Hurley.

Coleman and George Moore little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moore of Morley Mo., are visiting their many relatives in this neighborhood.

The school rally at this place last Friday night was attended and enjoyed by a large crowd.

We are very sorry to learn of the death of Sherman Humphrey in Evansville July 22nd.

### Oak Hall

Dave Postlethweight who has been working for Mr. Bird the past two months has returned home.

U. S. Graves and family attended Sunday School at this place Sunday.

Mrs. M. T. Worley visited Mrs. W. G. Condit Thursday.

Miss Ethel Johnson of Memphis Tenn. is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Lou Johnson.

Several from this neighborhood attended the picnic at the Crittenden Springs.

Geo. Dollar spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Anna Graves and daughter were in Marion shopping Friday.

Mrs. J. R. Postlethweight visited at Isaac Meyers Sunday.

Calvin Corley and Zella Hughes visited T. A. Enoch and family Sunday.

### DYCUSBURG

Miss Margaret Moore was the guest of Mesdames Wadlington and Boaz last week.

Mrs. Fred Nelson of Metropolis Ill. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Ramage.

W. E. and Mark Dycus, and Robt. Ramage motored to Princeton Sunday.

Walter Smith of Hickman Ky. spent several days last week in Tennessee.

Mrs. Richard Crayne of Paducah is the guest of her brother, Ellis Ralston and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Yandell of Marion, were in town Sunday night the guests of J. B. Wadlington.

Mr. Harper of Paducah returned home Saturday after visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. B. Wadlington for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shelby and daughters, Misses Corinne and Marie of Elm Grove were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Graves Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Glass and little daughter, Lucy James Brasher and niece, Miss Roberta Clifton, and Emerson Bennet of Kuttawa were guests of Mrs. Edgie Gregory Saturday.

R. H. Milroy who has been ill for some time is reported some better by his physician Dr. J. M. Graves.

Misses Laura and Ida Graves who have been the guests of their aunt, Miss Cora Graves for several weeks returned to their home in Paducah Saturday.

H. H. Bennet and little sons, Rhea and Allie Moore were in Fredonia Friday.

Mrs. Oda Bennet was in Vicksburg Saturday on business.

Mrs. W. E. Charles and daughter, Tillie were in Paducah shopping Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Cooksey were called to Fredonia to the bedside of T. J. Yates who is dangerously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lambert and daughter Myrtle and Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Devers motored to Cave-in-Rock Ill. Sunday. They were accompanied by Miss Anna Glenn.

Ed Henry and family spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives near Frances.

Rev. Nowlin of Paducah visited C. H. Hill last week.

Mrs. Fred Ramage spent the week end in Princeton the guest of her sister Mrs. Trenton Patterson.

Mrs. Edgie Gregory was in Kuttawa Saturday afternoon the guest of her sister Mrs. Robt. Clifton. She was accompanied home by her niece Miss Edmonia Bennet of Paducah.

Miss Oda Charles spent several days last week in the country the guest of her cousin Mrs. H. H. Bennett.

Mrs. Virginia Campbell of Springfield Mo. was the guest of her brother Dr. J. M. Graves Sunday.

Mrs. Ellis Ralston and daughter Miss Vada spent several days last week near Caldwell Springs

visiting relatives.

Mrs. Mayme White and brother Lon Graves are quite ill at this writing.

Mrs. May Jackson of Fredonia was the guest of Mrs. George Yancey Saturday afternoon.

### Public Sale

We will on Thursday, August 3rd, 1916 at the late residence of E. R. Hill deceased, 1 1/2 miles Northwest of Deanwood, offer for sale to the highest bidder, the following described property: 1 binder, 1 hay baler, 1 mower, 1 double row cornplanter, Harrows, plows, shovels etc., 1 set blacksmith tools, 1 wagon, 1 lot harness, 1 surrey, 2 buggies, 1 bunch shoats, 1 lot mares and mules' 1 lot corn, 1 loom, 2 large kettles and 1 lot gears. Farming implements of all kinds. Household and kitchen furniture. And many other articles too numerous to mention. Sale begins at 9 a.m. Terms made known on day of sale. 7-27-16 Geo. A. & Twinkle Hill, Adms.

### Summary Of The News

The Islands of the Danish Indies long desired by the United States are to be acquired from Denmark at a cost of 25 million dollars.

The British troops still maintain their offensive in the Western Zone and the Russian armies report successes in the east and in Turkey.

Tunnel explosion at Cleveland, Ohio, takes toll of 28 lives, and death toll may go nearly to 30.

Wilson announced his determination to stand back of the Senate's big naval program.

Reinstatement of British restrictions on export tobacco agitates dealers in this section.

### Midway

The hardest hail storm that we have had was Sunday afternoon it did a good deal of damage in this section.

Henry Wigginton, wife and baby spent Sunday at Charley Hunts.

John W. Hunt of Tolu spent most of last week visiting his brother and sisters near here.

## UNIFORM PRICES SAVE MONEY FOR WOMEN WHEN MARKETING

By MRS. JULIAN HEATH

Founder and National President of Housewives League



MRS. JULIAN HEATH.

In order to buy efficiently it is essential that the buyer should know what she is buying. She must be able to order by name and thus be certain that she is getting the quality she wants at the price she is willing to pay.

Men buy cigars by name, they call for smoking tobacco by name. In this way they are certain of getting the quality they want. Women demand the same right to buy breakfast foods, canned fruits, household utensils, hose, gloves and the thousand and one articles bought and used every day in the same intelligent manner. We don't want to ask for "oatmeal" or "flour." We want to ask for the particular brand that we have tested and found satisfactory. Buying food is certainly as important as buying tobacco and women buyers should be protected the same way.

Predatory price cutting—the offering of standard articles at less than cost as bait to hide the hook of higher prices on anonymous goods—tends to discourage manufacturers in branding their products and putting their names and addresses on them. That is the reason I favor the passage of the Stephens-Ashurst Bill. I want all the articles that women buy to be branded so that they can be identified.

Intelligent consumption is as important as intelligent production. They belong together and one is largely wasted without the other.

Women, especially residents of small cities and towns, are dependent on the small retail store. These retailers tell us—and they are to be pitied—that cut rate stores are driving them out of business. We take their word for it and we also accept their statement that the Stephens-Ashurst Bill will stabilize business, will stabilize prices and will encourage the sale of branded, identical goods. That means increased production and a corresponding lower price. Therefore we members of the Housewives League favor legislation that will permit prices for uniform quality.

We want to treat the small merchant fairly because that is the way to enable him to treat us fairly. We want to buy intelligently and economically and we want the merchant who serves us to do his best to meet the unfair and cut-throat competition of the big store intent on substituting its own brand of goods for the standard article that carries the name and address of the maker.

Uniform prices for uniform quality is in line with the American principle of a square deal for all. No buyer should demand more and no buyer should be compelled to accept less.



# Summer Footwear That Pleases

because of its correctness in point of Style, comfort, value

## For Women and Misses



Vacation footwear is here in great assortments -- correct in style, perfect in fit assuring absolute comfort. Black slippers for women \$2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00. White .75, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00.

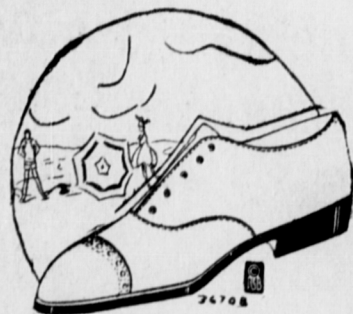
## Stanch Little Shoes

full of style for boys and girls. Boys' slippers \$2.00 2.25, 2.50, 3.00 and 3.50.

## Men and Young Men-

If you are looking for a pair of Oxfords that will suit you in every particular, come to this store.

Men's black slippers \$3. 3.50, 4.00 and 4.50. Tan \$3; 3.50, 4.00, 4.50. White and Palm Beach \$3.50.



### Special Values

One lot of ladies' patent, vici kid slippers at \$1.00.

Girls' slippers \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00. Boys' and girls' tennis at 50 and 75.

**MAYES & CAVENDER**

### Special Value

One lot of ladies' patent, vici kid slippers at \$1.25.



We will bond you.

Crider & Woods.

Dr. J. V. Hayden and J. O. Gray of Salem were in Marion Tuesday.

FOR SALE—Splendid saddle and driving horse.

S. M. Jenkins.

Dr. Roy Waddell and wife were guests of Mrs. Susan Glenn Monday it being her birthday.

Albert Butler and wife of Salem have been guests of relatives here this week.

Money to loan on farms at 7 per cent. Geo. M. Crider.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Woods of New York arrived Tuesday to visit R. H. Woods and family.

Rev. T. C. Newman left Monday for Springfield Tennessee to assist in a meeting at that place.

Cantaloupes and water melons on ice at all times, at Babb Bros.

Miss Bessie Woods has returned from Cairo, Ill., where she spent the spring and summer.

FOR SALE new section honey also strained honey.

S. M. Jenkins.

Isaac Dillard has returned from Ridgway, Ill., and is attending Institute this week.

O. H. Paris traded his automobile for the Tucker & Moore shoe repair shop and machinery.

A handkerchief sale, 10c handkerchief at 5c at Lottie Tinsley Terrys.

Miss Elizabeth Dollar who was the guest of friends in the Fredonia Valley last week is expected home this week.

"RECEPTION," a coffee of quality, with an aroma all its own. Try it and you will thank us. ASHER & LAMB.

John Yandell and wife of Elizabethton, Tenn., arrived Thursday afternoon to visit his brothers, T. J. and W. B. Yandell on Bellville.

The "Mysteries of Mira" begins at the Marion Opera House, Tuesday evening Aug 8th. In 15 episodes.

Misses Driskill and Marie Conyer of Levas are visiting Miss Mildred Worley and other relatives in Marion.

We are now prepared to handle fresh meats, vegetables, and fruits of all kinds, give us an order.—Babb Bros.

Mrs. George Story of Louisville is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams S. Walker St.

If you want the best loin, porter house or round steak, we have it.—Babb Bros.

Crider & McFee, Real Estate Agents. Town properties bought and sold. Farms for sale. Marion, Ky.

Mrs. J. D. Worley and children of Marion visited Walter Worley and family last week in the Fredonia neighborhood.

Let J. N. Boston screen your house with full length screens hung on hinges. The perfectly proof screen.

Messrs. Ted Boston and Blanton Wiggins, of Marion, spent Sunday in the city.—Princeton Leader.

Misses Maymie Love and Glenn Carter of Levas section were here Tuesday doing some shopping and looking in on the Institute.

Archie Davidson of Keota, Oklahoma and his wife and son, left Monday afternoon for their home after spending a month here with his parents.

FOR SALE matched team young horse and mare 2 and 3 years old.

S. M. Jenkins.

Mrs. A. H. Cardin left Friday for Mont Eagle, Tenn., to spend several weeks of the heated term. She will also visit friends in Nashville, Tenn., while enroute.

FOR SALE—Two No. 1 milch cows, half and three quarters jersey. Both fresh. One calf. W. F. McMurtry, Sturgis, Ky.

S. N. Lowe and Johnson Kennedy of Shawneetown Ill., accompanied the remains of Maurice C. Sutherland from that city to this place for interment last week.

Mrs. A. V. McFee who has been the guest for the past 10 days of her daughter Mrs. J. E. Dean at Crider Ky., is expected home to day.

Mrs. Lottie Tinsley Terry left Wednesday for the Eastern markets to buy a fine stock of ladies ready-to-wear garments which will be sold at close prices.

Wanted—A woman to cook and light house keeping for a couple. Good place and wages. For information apply at Press office.

James Beford returned from Fort Thomas Monday with his discharge from the state guard. His only disqualification was under weight as stated in his papers.

Cleaning, pressing and repairing. Agents for the White Swan Laundry. Best in town. All work called for and delivered. Huffman & Cook. Jenkins Bldg.

Mrs. John T. Pickens sent to the office the finest samples of peaches we have seen this year each one perfect, ripe and juicy. They were delicious and were appreciated.

A. Blacker of Clarendon, Ark., has rented the store room on Main St., formerly occupied by Morris & Son and will open up a stock of General Merchandise about Sept. 1st.

L. E. Huffman, Miss Effie Deboe and P. H. Deboe made an auto trip last week to Nashville, Tenn., returning Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Huffman and two sons.

WANTED—Employment in home with old couple. I know how to do all kinds of housework cooking, washing and ironing. Mrs. Martha Mulican, Phone 272.

Walter Douglas and Miss Iva Crider were united in marriage Friday night at the Presbyterian Manse by the Rev. H. V. Elliott. They were accompanied by D. E. Crider father of the bride.

FOR SALE—76 acres of land on Morganfield road near Baker under wire fence, 10 acres cleared and sowed in clover and grass. S. M. Jenkins

Mrs. H. H. Loving left Wednesday for her home at Detroit, Mich., and was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Sallie Williams and sister, Miss Martha Williams who will visit her several weeks. —Providence Enterprise

Any one desiring concrete work will do well to see J. N. Boston and get his prices. He will guarantee to do you a first class job.

Dr. F. W. Nunn left Tuesday for Louisville to attend the National Dental Association which is in session in that city this week. He will return Friday night, and be in his office Saturday morning.

We can treat in our home a limited number of cases with Granular sore eyes. We will also reduce the weight of fat or bloated people without drugs or starving. We guarantee results. —J. R. Gilchrist Ophr.

Mrs. F. W. Nichols and son, Casner are attending the Crittenden County teachers Institute at Marion this week and Harry Johnson is performing her duties as deputy at the post office. —Providence Enterprise.

We get cold storage meat, shipped in refrigerator car, and have a new sanitary refrigerator to keep it in. Telephone No. 235-2.—Babb Bros.

Mrs. J. I. Clement and daughter Miss Marion who went to spend the week end at Ceanlean, were joined there Monday afternoon by Miss Louise Clement and all three may spend a week or so at that delightful resort.

FOR SALE "the best brood mare in Crittenden county," 10 year old.

S. M. Jenkins.

Save the trouble of making two calls by giving us your order for groceries along with your fresh meat order. We have Heinz canned goods.—Babb Bros.

Mrs. R. A. Moore has rented her residence on West Depot St., to a gentlemen from Livingston County and will go to Ashland, Ky., to visit her daughter after the middle of August. In the meantime she will visit in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Woods of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Woods' mother, Mrs. Nannie Steele, on north Jefferson st. They will visit relatives at Smithland and Marion, Ky., before returning to Brooklyn.—Princeton Leader.

Just received a new line camping hats, hemp or felt in all leading colors 49cts. to \$5. Palm beach suits \$4.49. Kool cloth suits \$4.99. Shirts waists just received new line at a bargain. Come early and get choice at Lottie Tinsley Terrys.

FARM LOANS—On long time, cheap interest, repayment privileges. Also life insurance in the Columbia Life.—BEN L. YATES.

W. A. Blackburn, deputy federal court clerk, and family will leave today for Kuttawa Springs, where they will enjoy a two weeks' camping trip. Mr. Blackburn will be in the city every day to attend to business.—Paducah News Democrat.

Misses Irabelle and Willie Carliss, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. A. Forte, north of town, are now with their cousin, Mrs. Joe Smith, at Cerulean. Later they will go to Dawson to spend several days before returning home.—Cadiz Record.

Miss Margaret Moore, of Marion, was one of our town guests at the Picnic Luncheon last week whose name was inadvertently omitted in last week's issue of this paper. She has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson, Sr. for several days. She is one of the Crittenden county's leading teachers.—Livingston Enterprise.

Sherman Humphrey formerly of Sheridan vicinity who has been living in Evansville for several months died there Sunday after an operation. His remains were shipped here Monday and taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Humphrey near Siloam, to await the arrival of his brothers before the interment takes place.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure. The worst cases, no matter of how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00

## Preparedness SCHOOL SALE

We have the new Ky. school tablets.

You can save money by buying your school supplies from us at close out prices.

Give us a call.

To close out our school supplies, Beginning Saturday, July 22.

All our tablets, pencils, inks, envelopes, box stationery etc., must be sold at close out prices.

**M. E. FOHS**

Marion, Ky.

Weston

News are very scarce in our neighborhood at present.

Several from here attended the ball game at Gladstone Saturday.

Mrs. E. A. Bennet and daughter Mrs. B. E. Crisp and little son Royce left Monday for a few weeks visit with relatives in Dekoven and Sturgis.

C. L. Bain is visiting his uncle Mr. Dan King of Rodney.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thorn and little daughter Gracie Marie spent Friday night with her brother J. R. Collins and family.

George Robison and family have moved from near Blackford back to her fathers farm near Weston.

John Thorn of near Lamb Ill., was in our little town Saturday.

Misses Annie and Alice Garrett of Henshaw spent the past week with their sisters Mesdames Sibbie Wilson and Nannie Gahagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson and who for the past 10 months have been in Nunn Colo. for Mrs. Wilson's health have returned home and we are sorry to report she is no better.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Grady and little son Clarence Orville Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Will Win and daughters were in Marion Monday.

There will be an ice cream supper at the home of Mrs. Rose Sturgeons August 3 1916 Thursday night for the benefit of the C. P. Church at Weston. Every body is invited. Little Pansy.

### Going Springs

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Travis attended the funeral and burial of Lindsey Travis Monday afternoon.

Mrs. P. C. Stevens has almost entirely recovered at this writing Miss Marie Hughes of Marion spent last Friday and Saturday with Miss Dulcie Travis.

Cassie and Everette Cook left Wednesday morning for Cartersville Ill., for a few days visit.

All the farmers in this community are busy with their hay this week.

Miss Bertie and Duecie Travis left Saturday for Charleston Mo. to spend the remainder of the summer with relatives. They were accompanied by their sister Mrs. Leslie Bibb and little daughter of Marion.

Mrs. Bertha Cook and children left Friday afternoon for Providence to spend a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Curry.

—Sun-Flower

### The Teachers' Institute.

Continued From Page 1.

Leola LaRue,	Marion, R 3
M C Smart,	"
Myrtle Morrill,	"
Clara Belt,	R 3
Raymond Hunt,	R 1
Ruth Melton,	"
Homer Lowry,	R 1
Boaz, out,	"
G. L. Lott,	Fredonia, R. 2
Fleta LaRue,	Sheridan
Mary Moore,	R 1
Frances Gray,	Marion
Grace Hill,	Crayne
Robert Corley,	Marion
Wanda Marvel,	" R 4
Lola Claghorn,	Marion R 4
Geo. W. Condit,	" R 4
Elbert Thomas,	Sheridan
Emma Terry,	Marion R 4
P. M. Ward,	"
Herschel Franklin,	Fords Ferry
Della Belt,	Sheridan R 1
J C Hardin,	Toju
Fred H Hillyard,	Marion R 5
Locke Hillyard,	" R 5
Homer Davidson,	"
Kate Minner,	Sheridan R 1
Ewell Hardin,	Tolu R 1
Mary Hurley,	Sheridan R 1
Reba Bebout,	"
Minnie Corley,	Marion
Martha Wilborn,	"
Ottie Hamby,	"
Isaac Dillard,	"
W. K. Powell,	Repton
Edward Clark,	Marion R 5
Bertha Rankin,	Fords Ferry
T. F. Newcom,	Sturgis
Elzie Travis,	Blackford
Flora Moore,	Repton
Edith Davis, Sullivan,	R. 1 F E Towry
Piney, Eulah Gass, Marion, Jennie	
Clement, Crayne, Grace Condit, R. F.	
D. No. 4. Cora Smart, Marion, Ewing	
James, R. F. D. No. 5. Bryan Ford,	
Piney, Pearl Snow, Piney, Worth W.	
Boisture, Crayne, John B. Paris, R. F.	
D. No. 1. Willis Dollins, R. F. D. No.	
5. Herbert McDowell, Repton, Mana	
Crowell, Repton, Stella Dean, Deann	
Wood, E. E. Phillips, Gladstone, Mary	
Towery, Piney, Carrie Morse, Deann	
wood, W. L. Todd, Piney, Pratt Stan-	
ley, Repton, Ruby Asher, Marion, J.	
L. F. Paris, R. F. D. No. 1. Dell Stem-	
bridge, Marion, Etta Boisture, Crayne,	
Sigbee Lowry, R. F. D. No. 1. Cath-	
erine Moore, Marion, Duron Koon,	
Fredonia, R. F. D. No. 2. Mary Fin-	
ley, Marion. The following are from	
Marion: V. L. Christian, H. C. Frank-	
lin, Sadie Minor, Margaret Moore,	
Elizabeth McGee, Iva Hicklin, Sue	
Moore, Mary Lou Wilborn, Hattie	
Wheeler, Lena Woods, Mary Ethel	
Hard and Bryan Ford, Piney.	



## Shady Grove

Stock buyers of Fredonia were here Friday and received several hundred head of sheep for which they paid handsome prices. Postmaster Fred Casner, of Providence, sold several lambs from the flock on his Crittenden county farm that averaged \$6.80 each.

The following will teach the East Crittenden schools the coming term: Shady Grove, Miss Mary Towery; Enon, Pratt Stanley; Odessa, Miss Carrie Morse; Lamb, Lester Todd; Sugar Grove, Miss Stella Dean; Hoods, E. E. Phillips.

W. D. Tudor, our popular merchant and postmaster, was in Marion Friday delivering produce and getting groceries.

## ANOTHER BRIDGE SPAN OVER THE OHIO RIVER

Illinois Central Wins Suit To Get Right-of-way Privileges From Grayville to Brookport, Ill.

The possibility of a bridge over the Ohio river at Brookport to be constructed by the Illinois Central Railroad company was given some support here yesterday when news of the decision of Judge J. C. Eagleton, of White county circuit court, reached here. Judge Eagleton's decision renders void a franchise granted ten years ago to the Toledo, St. Louis and New Orleans Railroad and opens the way for the Illinois Central to construct a line from Grayville, White county, to Brookport, via the Golconda fluor spar and coal fields. With the construction of a line to Brookport from Grayville there remains a probability that the Illinois Central will also build a bridge over the Ohio at that point, affording a direct southern connection. The Illinois Central has recently withdrawn from the Paducah & Illinois Railroad company, the leading corporation for the Metropolitan bridge, and this lends credence to the Brookport bridge line.

The franchise in White county, Ill., was granted to the Toledo, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad 10 years ago with the provision that the work must be completed within 10 years. The work has never been started, and now the Illinois Central has been suit to have the Toledo, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad franchise voided. In this they were successful thus leaving to themselves the right-of-way from Grayville to Brookport. It is probable that the Toledo, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad will carry the case to the Illinois court of appeals.

**ONE DROP**

of Bourbon Poultry Remedy

down a chick's throat cures croup, a few drops in the drinking water cures and prevents diarrhoea, cholera and other chick diseases. One Six bottle makes 12 gallons of medicine. At drug stores, or by mail postpaid. Valuable poultry book free.

BOURBON REMEDY CO., LEXINGTON, KY.

**Sold By Haynes & Taylor**

Strange Air Craft Passes Over Memphis, 3,000 Feet Up

Memphis, Tenn., July 15.—Hundreds of Memphis people saw a dirigible pass over Memphis at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening traveling from southwest to northeast. It was about 150 feet long with big car underneath, carrying three passengers. Several watched it through field glasses. It was traveling very fast and kept its course northeast, keeping a height of 3,000 feet.

# RAILROAD WAGES

## Shall they be determined by Industrial Warfare or Federal Inquiry?

To the American Public:

Do you believe in arbitration or industrial warfare?

The train employees on all the railroads are voting whether they will give their leaders authority to tie up the commerce of the country to enforce their demands for a 100 million dollar wage increase.

The railroads are in the public service—your service. This army of employees is in the public service—your service.

You pay for rail transportation 3 billion dollars a year, and 44 cents out of every dollar from you goes to the employees.

On all the Southern railroads in 1915, seventy-five per cent of the train employees earned these wages (lowest, highest and average of all) as shown by the payrolls—

	Passenger		Freight		Yard	
	Range	Average	Range	Average	Range	Average
Engineers	\$1972 \$310	\$2306	\$1455 \$3505	\$1916	\$1156 \$2424	\$1566
Conductors	1552 2696	1847	1353 2358	1580	1055 1749	1245
Firemen	943 1652	1209	649 1638	979	406 1302	777
Brakemen	957 1736	1109	755 1854	958	754 1405	990

The average yearly wage payments to all Southern train employees (including those who worked only part of the year) as shown by the 1915 payrolls were—

	Passenger	Freight	Yard
Engineers	\$2144	\$1712	\$1313
Conductors	1723	1488	1157
Firemen	1096	835	688
Brakemen	1013	845	868

A 100 million dollar wage increase for men in freight and yard service (less than one-fifth of all employees) is equal to a 5 per cent advance in all freight rates.

The managers of the railroads, as trustees for the public, have no right to place this burden on the cost of transportation to you without a clear mandate from a public tribunal speaking for you.

The railroads have proposed the settlement of this controversy either under the existing national arbitration law, or by reference to the Interstate Commerce Commission. This offer has been refused by the employees' representatives.

Shall a nation-wide strike or an investigation under the Government determine this issue?

### National Conference Committee of the Railways

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### Shackleton Arrives At Town On Magellan Strait

Punta Arenas, Chile, July 4. Sir Ernest Shackleton, the Antarctic explorer arrived here today. Punta Arenas, the most southerly town in the world situated on the strait of Magellan, is the port, where the Uruguayan government has fitted out another relief expedition to rescue the main body of Lieut. Shackleton's Antarctic party, left on Elephant islands. Shackleton's first attempt to reach Elephant island on a vessel loaned by Uruguay failed and on June 25 he returned to Port Stanley, Falkland islands.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

### CLEAR SKIN COMES FROM WITHIN

It is foolish to think you can gain a good clear complexion by the use of face powder. Get at the root of the trouble and thoroughly cleanse the system with a treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Gentle and mild in action, do not gripe, yet they relieve the liver by their action on the bowels. Good for young, adults and aged. Go after a clear complexion today. 25c at your druggist.

### Women in War

High school girls are flocking in bands to the Russian trenches and joining the army as private soldiers. Some have been killed in battle and are buried in flat steppes of Poland or on the steep slopes of the Carpathians.

Many have marched off further to the front, and through changes in regimental formation have been completely lost to their friends at home who have no clues to their fate. Some are in German internment camps

of these is Martha Malko, who fought beside her subaltern husband until he was killed and she was taken prisoner. She is now prisoner at Schuilen.

Remarkable stories come from Russia showing to what extent Russian women are flocking to the Czar's standard. They show rare bravery and are calm in face of danger.

Women throughout Europe are doing men's work in factories and in the open, but only in Russia and her little ally, Serbia, are they actually fighting side by side with men in the battle field.—Exchange.

## HOW MRS. BEAN MET THE CRISIS

Carried Safely Through Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Nashville, Tenn.—"When I was going through the Change of Life I had a tumor as large as a child's head. The doctor said it was three years coming and gave me medicine for it until I was called away from the city for some time. Of course I could not go to him then, so my sister-in-law told me that she thought Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound would cure it. It helped both the Change of Life and the tumor and when I got home I did not need the doctor. I took the Pinkham remedy until the tumor was gone, the doctor said, and I have not felt it since. I tell every one how I was cured. If this letter will help others you are welcome to use it."

—Mrs. E. H. DEAN, 525 Joseph Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a pure remedy containing the extractive properties of good old fashioned roots and herbs, meets the needs of woman's system at this critical period of her life. Try it.

If there is any symptom in your case which puzzles you, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

### Austria Takes Reserve

#### Troops From Serbia

Berne, (Via London) July 11. Nearly 100 military trains, conveying some 60,000 troops passed through Temesvar, Hungary in the past few days transporting and strum used in the occupation of Serbia, and Montenegro, to Transylvania, to oppose the Russian advance. It also is reported that German officers commanding Bulgarian troops have been recalled.

ROME, July 11.—(Via London) The press here felt by the Italian forces in the Trentino has resulted in the call of several divisions of Austrian troops which were about to be sent to the eastern front, according to the official statement issued today. The Italian offensive continues.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Armed Patrols Protect Bathers

Asbury Park, N. J., July 10.—Summer resorts along the New Jersey Coasts established motor-boat patrols today to protect bathers from man-eating sharks. The crews are armed with rifles. The action was taken by resort proprietors as the result of the death of two bathers, one Thursday and one last Sunday, who were attacked by the big fish, unheard of heretofore in these waters. Bathing has been reduced to a low ebb. Some beaches are being inclosed with wire netting.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE.

### Double Killing

Dawson, Ky., July 26.—K. H. Keach, marshal of Dawson, this afternoon shot and killed Dick Rogers and in turn was shot and killed by Mack Logan who was with Rogers.

Keach and Rogers had had trouble before. Keach was marshal of Fredonia, Ky., before coming to this place.

### Food Too Scarce To Feed

#### Animals Too Freely

Berlin July 26.—The sight of ten meatless weeks which, according to the food director, Herr Batocki, are hanging over our heads like a sword of Damocles, have not yet come, nor yet have we been reduced to the same straits as were the people of Paris during the siege of 1871, when they were compelled to eat all the animals in the Paris zoo. But if the authorities do not very soon make up their minds to have the animals in the Berlin Zoological Garden slaughtered we shall find very little meat on them when it might become necessary to send them to abattoirs.

In the Berlin zoo the suffering of the poor beasts are obvious. Their constant roars and howls leave no doubt as to their feelings towards the wardens. More disreputable looking creatures than the birds which are the national symbols of Germany as well as of the United States I have seldom seen. Few have any fathers left to speak of, and they were so weak they could hardly move.

Here is what the "Berliner Tageblatt," says of the poor creatures who are being slowly starved to death behind the bars of their cages.

"To feed 8,000 animals in war time when food for human beings is growing scarcer every day is no easy matter.

It is quite out of the question to say to these beasts, 'My dear Herr Lion or Herr Tiger, we ourselves have for some time been forced to get along with several meatless days a week, and it is no more than right that you should do the same. On these days, therefore, you will in the future get only a sour herring or a few potato peelings.

"Nor can you expect the serpent to feel happy when you give a measure of lettuce or spinach once a week instead of their weekly meal which has always consisted of a nice fat rabbit. Animals stand a rational change of diet far less readily than human beings, and during our recent walks through the zoo we find the lions and tigers are looking any thing but happy. Their flanks are hollow and their ribs protrude.

The elephants are melancholy and are trying in vain to understand why some of the visitors who used to spoil them with buns and cakes now never go near them and why those who do stop to look at them never give them any food.

"Five ostriches have died and of the eleven giant snakes there are now only three left and these look anything but alive. Nearly all the inmates of the aquarium have died."

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Effie Wilson Jenkins.

### Confesses To Burning Building.

Last Friday evening at Equality, Charles Breeze, who is not expected to live, being in the last stages of consumption, called to his bedside R. V. Montgomery, Mrs. Sam Turner and Estel Turns and told them that he and his partner in the barber business had burned the Turner hotel in Equality in 1911. Sam Turner was running the hotel at that time and had just put in some new furniture and had no insurance. Estel Turns had a restaurant in the same building and had insurance. Turns was suspicious by many at that time and was up until Breeze's confession as being the fire-lug.

Breeze says he and his partner burned the building to get rid of a barber shop belonging to Clell Garrison, who was a strong competitor.—News-Gleaner.

### British Expenses Only

#### Thirty Million a Day.

London, July 22.—British expenditures have now reached a total of more than 6,000,000 lbs. daily, according to a statement made by Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer, in the house of commons today.

### Big German Ship is U-Boat Victim.

London.—Reuter's Stockholm correspondent reports the sinking by a German submarine of the German steamer Sylva. Her crew and Swedish life boat were rescued.

### Zeppelin to Cross Ocean

There is another gigantic scheme on foot in Germany for the formation of a transatlantic Zeppelin freight and passenger service. The first airship, one of the new type of the super-Zeppelins, will arrive at an American port some time the middle of August, if the plans now under consideration materialize. Its name will be Z-Deutschland.

Like the U-boat Deutschland, the Zeppelin of the same name will carry a cargo of dyes, chemicals, mails and possibly some passengers to the United States.—New York Telegram.

## DEUTSCHLAND'S TARS AT CAPITOL

One Sits In President Wilson's Chair At The Cabinet Table.

Washington July 25.—Six seamen from the German submarine Deutschland visited Washington to-day and were entertained at the White House and navy department. At the White House attaches showed them through the east, blue and red rooms and the President's private office. One asked permission to sit in the President's chair at the head of the cabinet table. He did so while his comrades grinned in appreciation.—Associated Press.

### Are Men People

Of 100 people who are very ill when they have a sore finger—99 are men.

Of 10 people taking two seats instead of one in the subway—9 are men.

Of 25 people forgetting umbrellas at people's houses—24 are men.

Of 10 per cent of people falling asleep at the opera—all are men.

Of 20 percent of people particular about the brand of eau de quinine for growing hair—19 percent are men.

Of 50 percent of the people who borrow a quarter, pencils, muckilage, etc., etc., and forget to return them—49 percent are men.—New York Tribune.



## THE STEPHENS-ASHURST BILL

To Protect the Public Against Dishonest Advertising and False Pretenses in Merchandising

**What is the "Stephens-Ashurst" Bill?** A bill introduced in Congress by Senator Henry F. Ashurst of Arizona, and by Representative Dan V. Stephens of Nebraska, providing a remedy for the unfair competition of great trading monopolies.

**What is the character of this unfair competition?** Chiefly in advertising at "cut prices" well-known goods as a means of inducing the public to buy unknown goods of doubtful quality.

**What is the purpose of the cut-price concern?** To use the reputation of a reliable article as a bait to catch the consumers, and deceive them into believing that all their goods offered for sale are sold at the same low rate of profit.

**Are the expenses of the great trading monopolies less than those of the average retail merchant?** No. Trade investigations agree that the cost of doing business by these big city concerns is approximately 30 per cent., while the cost of the average small merchant is 16 per cent.

**How then can the predatory price cutters undersell the independent merchant?** They can't; they only seem to. They sell things that people know at cost. On unfamiliar goods they overcharge. The consumer is deceived by the false representation that their mass of unknown goods is sold at the same price reduction offered on a few well-known articles.

**What is the effect of this unfair advertising practice?** It destroys the independent merchants of the towns and small cities, builds up great chain-store and mail-order systems, and compels the sale of inferior goods by all classes of dealers.

**Is price cutting in the interest of the public?** No. It means the destruction of the usual retail channels by which goods reach the consumers to their best advantage. It forces the sale of unknown articles, often of cheap and shoddy quality, instead of reliable goods which have their maker's reputation behind them. It promotes substitution.

**What will be the result of the general extension of the practice throughout the country?** The ruin of hundreds of thousands of independent merchants; the concentration of trade in vast monopolies located in a few great cities; a decline in prosperity and population of the villages, towns and small cities and the ultimate injury of the consumers, by placing them at the mercy of monopolies which will then be able to extort such profits as they please for the sale of such goods as they choose to handle.

**How will the bill aid in giving relief from cut-throat monopoly creating methods?** By preventing the unfair and dishonest use of well-known goods as advertising bait, and guaranteeing a uniform price to all consumers.

**Will the bill operate in any way to give trade-marked goods a monopoly?** Not at all. The bill explicitly states that its provisions shall not apply to any article that is produced or controlled by a monopoly. If any manufacturer asked higher prices than his goods were worth, the public would refuse to buy, and new makers would quickly enter the field.

**How can all who are interested in the prosperity and growth of our villages, towns and small cities aid in having the bill passed?** By writing at once to the U. S. Senators from their State, and the Congressman from their District, urging them to support the Stephens-Ashurst Bill, and use their influence in its favor.

## TALKS ON LOVE AND MATRIMONY

Miss Helen Keller, Blind and Dumb, Says All Women Should Marry.

### PICTURES HER IDEAL OF MAN

Must Be Handsome, of Course, but Doesn't Have to Be Rich or Possess a College Education—Glories in Her Family.

Chicago.—Love is a topic that Miss Helen Keller avoids in interviews. Yet this sightless and dumb prodigy, who has overcome her human handicaps—almost—has some unique opinions on this absorbing theme, writes Harriet Ferrill in the Chicago Tribune.

She pounded them out on her fingers and the face of her teacher, Mrs. J. A. Macy, who has been with her for twenty-nine years.

An eager face, lips that are ready to laugh, and a flashing, alert mind helped along the interpretation of her love sentiments.

"I am not telling my love affairs," she spelled into the palm of her teacher's hand. "They are not for publication," although she admitted many proposals as a "star"—and possibly one heart affair. There is said to be a certain young man who is attentive at this time.

### Will Be a Master Man.

The master of the house in ideal conditions such as are sensed by Miss Keller in a new day is not of the common species. He will be a master man, willing to permit his wife to be the deposit of the household supplies and the real "boss."

"Every household should be ruled by a bicameral government—a congress and a senate—such as the United States gave the Porto Ricans," she said. "The woman should, of course, be the house of representatives of the family. In this government there will be no filibustering, I hope, nor lobbying."

"Thus, the man would propose all vital measures and the woman would dispose them. She would control the disposal of supplies principally, as women did among some of the primitive tribes."

This ideal state of matrimony, however, Miss Keller does not expect until woman is economically free. So long as man is the "money bags," this future marriage system will be missing.

A happy interest flashed in her sightless eyes when she was requested to describe her ideal man.

"Of course, he will be handsome for eugenic reasons," she said with a smile. "He doesn't have to be rich. I am paying my own passage through the world and am proud of it."

"And the ideal man doesn't have to be possessed of a college education. He must be one who thinks straight. Many men have obtained an education by their own efforts, for example, Mark Twain, one of my ideal men. For he was broad humanely, tender, yet strong, and full of humor."

"Every marriage should have love and both man and woman should never lose sight of the happiness of their children. The state should pay for the upkeep of each child; for there is no greater service to the state than a woman's gift of a child—a greater service than the building of a warship. Besides, warships are no good without men. Woman furnishes the absolutely necessary supply—men. Her services are fundamental in war time or out of war."

"All women should marry if they can get anyone to marry them." Her teacher laughed her out of her seriousness. "Yes they should," she insisted. "It's essential for the race—and evolution in the world."

One of the glories which Miss Keller delights in is the glory of her family. A great-great-grandfather of hers was one of the first colonial governors of Virginia—one of the Spotswoods, and this is a cherished name. She is a cousin of the southern hero, Robert E. Lee, and counts the Adamsses and the Everetts on her ancestral tree.

Her mother, Mrs. Katherine Adams Keller, is with her, busily darning stockings and mending shirts. A sister, Mrs. Mildred Keller Tyson, lives in Montgomery, Ala., her native state, and a brother, Phillips Brooks Keller, is an engineer. Miss Keller was a student and admirer of Phillips Brooks when she was nine years old and she insisted upon giving her brother that name, her mother said.

### WON'T LEAVE FOSTER MOTHER

Quail Refuses to Part With Hen, by Which She Was Raised.

Alton, Kan.—Last summer one of W. D. Lenley's old hens stole her nest out on the creek. Evidently she chose a quail's nest, for when her brood came off there was a young quail in the lot.

The old biddy mothered the stranger with a mother's care, and though it often vexed and astonished its mates by flying away like the wind, all went well with the happy family. To this day the quail prefers to stay among the chickens, roosts in the barn in bad weather, and is as tame as the ordinary pigeon.

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### BRITISH REACH GERMAN THIRD LINE DEFENSE

London, July 5th—The British forces now have reached the third line defenses north of Somme and have advanced four miles since the beginning of the present offensive July 1st.

Berlin officially admits the British have gained ground and occupied Trones wood. They describe the British losses, however, as "most severe." The Germans say the attack has been "stemmed," but that fighting continues.

In the additional pushing back of the Germans lines the British have captured 2,000 prisoners. German resistance has been stubborn, but the British are so far able to hold the ground gained.



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GEO. M. CRIDER, Financial Correspondent Marion, Ky.

### Letter From J. G. Haynes,

Pastor Rich Hill Missouri.

In a letter received from Rev. J. G. Haynes, pastor of Rich Hill, Mo., Park Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, South in the Nevada district of the Southwest Missouri Conference, he says: We are all glad that the war clouds have passed away, and rejoicing in the fact that we are not to have war.

The Christian forbearance and wise statesmanship, that saved us from a break with Germany, and made the world a debtor to Woodrow Wilson, will find a way to prevent a war with unhappy Mexico without the sacrifice of honor or principle.

It is the glory of Woodrow Wilson's administration that so far, in the most critical period in history, he has kept this country out of war. His patience, forbearance, his splendid restraint under great provocation, his high standard of Christian statesmanship will assure him a place in history that no warrior president could possibly have gained.

His achievements shine but the more resplendent, because of the attacks the designing politician, unthinking hotheads, selfish financial interests, and the yellow journals have made upon him.

There was a time when heroism was measured by carnage and bloodshed, by killing, or being killed, but that time has passed, for war has come to be a thing apologized for.

The man who is skilled in marshaling men on the battlefield, in deadly conflict with their brothers is not the hero of the day, but the man who can lead us safely through these perilous times, and save our young men for higher and nobler purposes, than that of the bloody battlefield, like Woodrow Wilson, will be the hero of the world.

We have long been patient with Mexico, and in this present crisis our President and our country has been sorely tried, but we can afford to be patient yet. We must be sure beyond all doubt that we are right before we even consider bringing

upon our souls the blood-guiltiness of war. It matters not from what angle, or viewpoint we look at this Mexican question, we should remember this, that, however right we are, we will gain no glory by fighting Mexico. The odds are too great, the issue too certain.—J. G. Haynes.

### ROBIN

(Planesticus migratorius)



Length, ten inches.

Range: Breeds in the United States (except the Gulf States), Canada, Alaska and Mexico; winters in most of the United States and south to Guatemala.

Habits and economic status: In the North and some parts of the West the robin is among the most cherished of our native birds. Should it ever become rare where now common, its joyous summer song and familiar presence will be sadly missed in many a homestead. The robin is an omnivorous feeder, and its food includes many orders of insects, with no very pronounced preference for any. It is very fond of earthworms, but its real economic status, is determined by the vegetable food, which amounts to about 58 per cent of all. The principal item is fruit, which forms more than 51 per cent of the total food. The fact that in the examination of over 1,200 stomachs the percentage of wild fruit was found to be five times that of the cultivated varieties suggests that berry-bearing shrubs, if planted near the orchard, will serve to protect more valuable fruits. In California in certain years it has been possible to save the olive crop from hungry robins only by the most strenuous exertions and considerable expense. The bird's general usefulness is such, however, that all reasonable means of protecting orchard fruit should be tried before killing the birds.

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## GO TO CHURCH Now Is the Time. Don't Procrastinate

GO TO CHURCH. Do it now.

"NOW" IS THE GREAT WORD OF GOD. "NOW" IS THE ONLY TREASURE WE HAVE, YET WE SQUANDER IT AS IF IT WERE OF NO VALUE. WHEN A PERSON SAYS HE HAS BEEN KILLING TIME HE HAS BEEN KILLING LIFE, FOR LIFE IS TIME. YOU CAN DO MORE WITH FIVE MINUTES NOW THAN YOU CAN WITH A THOUSAND YEARS AFTER YOU ARE DEAD. WHAT YOU DID YESTERDAY AND WHAT YOU WILL DO TOMORROW SINK INTO INSIGNIFICANCE COMPARED WITH WHAT YOU MAY DO TODAY. TWO FORCES STRIVE WITHIN US—ONE IS ACTION, THE OTHER IS DELAY. ACTION IS A SEVERE TASKMASTER, BUT IS RICH IN REWARD, WHILE DELAY IS AN EASY BOSS, BUT A POOR PAYMASTER.

Shakespeare declares in his familiar but ever true lines, "There is a tide in the affairs of men which taken at the flood leads on to fortune." And Lowell ringingly proclaims, "Once to every man and nation comes the moment to decide." There is some momentous secret in the psychological moment when the heart is hot and the emotions aroused. Now is always the day of salvation. The old hymn rightly conceived the truth:

There is a time, we know not when;  
A place, we know not where,  
That marks the destiny of men  
To glory or despair.

THEREFORE, DO NOT PROCRASTINATE. GO TO CHURCH NOW. YOU MAY NOT BE ABLE TO GO TO CHURCH TOMORROW. WHO CAN SAY WHERE HE WILL BE TOMORROW? THERE ARE YOUNG MEN WHO LAUGHINGLY DECLARE THAT THEY WILL GO TO CHURCH WHEN THEY ARE OLD. THEY MAY NEVER GET THAT CHANCE. THEY MAY BE CUT DOWN IN THEIR PRIME. DON'T DELAY. DELAYS ALWAYS ARE DANGEROUS, BUT NEVER MORE SO THAN WHEN YOU DELAY MAKING YOUR PEACE WITH GOD.

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## WOMAN EXPERT IN HOME EFFICIENCY FOR STEPHENS BILL

MRS. CHRISTINE FREDERICK SAYS IT WILL AID CONSUMERS.

### INSURES STANDARD QUALITY

Consumers in Small Towns and Rural Communities Are Victims of Discrimination by Big Store Methods, Which Encourage Substitution of Unidentified Goods at High Figures.

Mrs. Christine Frederick, household efficiency expert and consulting household editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, the New York Evening Sun, Successful Farming, and various other publications, recently appeared before the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee of the House of Representatives in Washington in support of the Stephens-Ashurst bill. This measure, according to its title, is designed "To protect the public against dishonest advertising and false pretenses in merchandising."

The bill will legalize standard, uniform prices and prevent price cutting of trade marked goods by big city stores for the purpose of giving the false impression that all their other articles are proportionately low. Price cutting is merely bait to lure customers so that articles of inferior merit may be substituted at high prices.

"I appear before the committee purely in the interest of the consumer," said Mrs. Frederick, "and I do not care about the rights or wrongs



MRS. CHRISTINE FREDERICK.

of retailer or manufacturer except as they affect the consumer. There is great need that the woman consumer, who spends most of the family income for articles used in the home, should be able to buy with the least extravagance, the least inefficiency and the least waste. I believe that a uniform price on an identified article is one of the chief means by which this most desired end can be obtained."

Mrs. Frederick declared that the passage of the Stephens-Ashurst bill will result in greater household efficiency in buying for the following reasons:

- First, it will help the consumer establish a standard in all purchasing.
- Second, it will guarantee to the consumer a continuance of those standards once they are established.
- Third, it will give a wider distribution to more kinds of products that the consumer daily buys.
- Fourth, it will save the consumer's money because the fixed price will guarantee a permanent, dependable supply of articles.
- Fifth, it will be especially helpful to farm women and small town consumers who are now victims of discrimination.
- Sixth, it will make it possible for the homemaker to practice more efficient and less wasteful buying methods.
- Seventh, it will guarantee to the consumer that the goods which she buys are made under honorable standards of manufacture, fair pay and sanitary conditions.

In her argument for identified articles Mrs. Frederick said it was admitted that cut prices tend to drive such articles from the market and she was merely showing the interest that the consumer has in having articles she buys so marked and branded that they can be identified.

"Suppose, for the sake of argument, that there is no such thing as an identified article," said Mrs. Frederick, "if there is no means of identifying, say, a pound of butter or a pair of hosiery, then every purchase of one of those necessities becomes an experiment. In each case I must make a test which takes time, trouble and money and which is worthless in the end because, should I find the article satisfactory, I can't be certain of getting the same thing again; and if it is unsatisfactory I can't be certain of avoiding it. I do not see how you can have a standard quality without a standard price. The trade mark on an article, the approved standard price and standard quality, protect the consumer because they are a guarantee that the manufacturer will continue that standard."

"Price juggling destroys the standard which manufacturers have set and tempts them—sometimes almost forces them—to lower the quality. What incentive can a manufacturer have to keep up a high standard of quality if the price is constantly cut."

## Buying Aeroplanes for Peace

People of United States are Seeking Protection from Possible Dangers by Raising Big Fund From Popular Subscriptions

By HENRY WOODHOUSE, Governor of Aero Club of America



H. WOODHOUSE.

Ten thousand starving British troops besieged by the Turks in Mesopotamia were fed recently by six aeroplanes belonging to the relief expedition, which carried 18,800 pounds of food to the besieged—many days before the relieving expedition got within communicating distance. Unfortunately there were only six aeroplanes—and they could not carry sufficient provisions for men and beasts, therefore the 10,000 soldiers had to surrender with relief in sight!

This lesson makes us believe what Earl Kitchener meant when he said that—An aviator is worth an army corps. Appreciating the value of the aeroplane, just before the outbreak of the European war the people of France by a popular subscription participated in by men and women of all classes, raised 6,114,846 francs for the purchase of aeroplanes and the training of aviators. This spontaneous action was taken because the government had failed to provide adequate aeroplane equipment for the army and the navy, although the utility of the aeroplane had been demonstrated in the military maneuvers. Had the French people not done so the French republic might today be in its last throes, for without aeroplanes in goodly numbers, France would have had a blind army. The popular subscription gave France 208 aeroplanes, 62 landing stations, and 75 trained aviators. The interest created by the subscription led to the immediate consideration by the government of its aeronautical needs with the result that in April, 1914, the French army had 1,200 aeroplanes and 28 dirigibles. Germany in 1912 also had a popular subscription for this purpose and raised 2,234,506 marks, a general interest which attended the creation and disbursement of this fund caused the government to provide \$35,000,000 for aeronautics.

In the National Aeroplane Fund the people of the United States are doing what the people of France did, for the government of this republic like that of the French republic, has failed to make adequate provision for the aeronautic needs of the army and the navy, though grave dangers threaten the nation. In the last twelve months there has been given to the National Aeroplane Fund about \$500,000 in sums ranging from \$1 to \$10,000 and with these subscriptions the officers of the Aero Club of America have been able to provide aeronautic equipment and pay for the training of officers for the National Guard and the naval militia of 35 states.

In the earlier days of this nation some residents living far inland thought of war only in terms of bombardment, but the aeroplane has so changed the science of war that every city and hamlet is now in reality on the firing line. In the present war dirigibles have made trips of 1,000 miles to hurl down tons of bombs on the noncombatants of peaceful cities, which by reason of distance and isolation would have been absolutely safe before the development of the aeroplane. Now the only effectual protection against aerial attacks is with aeroplanes flown and officered by picked men of great skill and even greater daring; hence the necessity of thousands of aeroplanes with dependable aviators for the protection of this nation with its immense coastline and undefended inland cities.

The money raised by the National Aeroplane Fund is used in the purchase of aeroplanes which are presented to the militia or to the naval militia and in paying for the training at aviation centers of members of these two arms of defense.

In ten months since the National Aeroplane Fund was instituted by the Aero Club of America, aviation detachments, or stations of the aero coast patrol system, have been established as follows:

In New York, in connection with the aviation sections of the National Guard, and the first and second battalions of the naval militia, each of which has been presented with aeroplanes through the National Aeroplane Fund; and in Buffalo, under the auspices of the militia and the Aero club of Buffalo, which has raised \$10,000 for this purpose.

In Maine, under the auspices of the militia and the chamber of commerce of Portland, which has raised \$10,000 for the first station.

In Rhode Island, under the auspices of the militia, \$25,000 having already been subscribed.

In New Jersey, under the auspices of the militia, a hydroaeroplane and training for officers having been presented.

In Massachusetts, under the auspices of the militia and the Aero club of New England, Messrs. Godfrey L. Cabot, Charles Fearing, Norman Cabot and other prominent Bostonians have acquired two powerful aeroplanes and an additional fund of \$10,000 is being raised. The Burgess company has also put its own station at the disposal of the militia.

In Michigan, under the auspices of the militia and the Aero club of Michigan, which is raising a fund that already amounts to \$12,000.

In California, under the auspices of the militia and the Aeronautical society, an aeroplane having been presented recently by Glenn L. Martin, and a fund close to \$2,000 having been contributed to the National Aeroplane Fund.

In Illinois, under the auspices of the militia, the Aero club of Illinois and the W. H. Cochrane syndicate of Chicago.

In Virginia, under the auspices of the militia, a \$10,000 fund being raised for the purpose, half of which has already been subscribed. The Atlantic coast aeronautical station, located at Newport News, has also put its facilities at the disposal of the militia.

In Colorado, under the auspices of the militia and the Colorado Aero club, a \$100,000 fund is being raised.

In Missouri, under the auspices of the militia, the Aero Club of Kansas City and the Missouri Aeronautical society, which is raising a fund of \$20,000 for that purpose.

In Iowa, under the auspices of the militia and the Aero Club of Iowa, \$10,000 having been raised by the latter. The Grinnell Aeroplane company of Grinnell has offered facilities for a station.

In Pennsylvania, under the auspices of the militia and the Aero Club of Pennsylvania, two members of which, Messrs. Robert Glendinning and Clarke Thomson, will contribute the use of their flying boats for this purpose.

In Washington (state), under the auspices of the militia and the Aero club of the Northwest, the members of which will loan the use of three aeroplanes for this purpose.

In Washington, D. C., under the auspices of the militia, the national aerial coast patrol commission and other organizations.

In Nebraska, under the auspices of the National Guard.

Officers from the following states are receiving training in aviation, their expenses being paid by the National Aeroplane Fund: Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, District of Columbia, Georgia, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, Mississippi, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, Wyoming. This is but the first step in the formation of aviation sections in these states.

The project to establish a chain of aerial coast defense stations along the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific coasts, at intervals of 100 miles, was fostered. This aero-radio system of coast defense has been endorsed by President Wilson, Secretary of War Garrison, Secretary of the Navy Daniels, and by the leading authorities on national defense. Forty-four aeroplanes will be needed to properly patrol all our coasts, and these, with the radio installation, receiving stations, hangars and other equipment, will cost about \$500,000 less than the price of a first-class submarine.

Aviators and aeroplanes were provided at the expense of the National Aeroplane Fund for the maneuvers of the militia of the states of New York, Pennsylvania and Vermont. Thus, for the first time in history, they were enabled to maneuver under conditions closely approximating modern warfare, in which aircraft is a deciding factor.

The purpose of the National Aeroplane Fund is to promote peace—to place the nation in such a strong defensive position that no other nation will hazard the chance of attacking us if in addition to our defenses, we have a great fleet of aeroplanes. That, and the fact that even such small nations as Bulgaria, Roumania, Spain and Switzerland outstrip us in aeronautic equipment. Bulgaria for instance, has over 300 aeroplanes while we have about thirty.

That is the reason why so many ladies with the intuition and the generosity of the sex have made sacrifices to add to the fund. Many have given to the fund the price of a new spring hat and one lady, without ceremony, sent her check for \$7,500—her peace offering.

## The American Flag

Your flag and my flag, and how it flies today  
In your land and my land and half a world away;  
Rose red and blood red its stripes forever gleam;  
Snow white and soul white, the good forefathers' dream;  
Sky blue and true blue with stars that gleam aright;  
The gloried guidon of the day, a shelter through the night.

Your flag and my flag, and, oh, how much it holds!  
Your land and my land, secure within its folds;  
Your heart and my heart beat quicker at the sight,  
Sun-kissed and wind-tossed, the red and blue and white;  
The one flag—the great flag—the flag for me and you,  
Glorifies all else beside, the red and white and blue.

## Industries Must Be Educated for War

Howard E. Coffin Proposes Plan by Which Supplies Can Be Assured

By DAVID TUNNELCLIFFE



H. E. COFFIN.

board has devised a plan by which the education of the industries may be carried on.

But before explaining the system Mr. Coffin first disposed of the theory of government plants for munitions of war. "Whatever our individual views may be upon government-owned plants," he said, "in the last equation, no government in the world can afford to own all the plants for the production of army and navy materials in sufficient quantities to carry any army through a modern war. In the last analysis it must be the private plants upon which we must depend to furnish the materials needed."

If England, with her great and powerful allies in the field, has 80 per cent, or as some claim even 90 per cent of her industries working to supply the needs of her armies, then the accuracy of Mr. Coffin's statement is beyond question, and the early education of the industrial army is fully as important as the raising of the fighting army.

### Educational Orders Favored.

"We must place drawings, instructions, and gauges in the hands of the skilled workmen of the manufacturing plants throughout this country, and do it in time of peace or they will never be able to meet our needs in the munitions of war in time of emergency," declared Mr. Coffin. "We must place small educational orders with these various factories, together with the blue prints, jigs and gauges, if we are to enable them to get such a general practical working knowledge of what is required that in time of stress they may be enabled to jump in quickly and pick up the work without fatal delay."

"As an illustration of what it means not to be prepared to handle these things, I want to tell you that many concerns in our country taking orders from foreign governments—orders placed a year and a half ago—have scarcely done anything in the way of quantity delivery. Heavy shipments have been made to European powers, but the great mass of such shipments has been of stuff which is not strictly munitions of war in the popular conception of the term, but materials like barbed wire or other things of such kind as we were pretty well able to supply off the shelf. When it has come to the production of shells and munitions of war and rifles, many of these concerns are way behind what they expected they would be able to do. This applies also to many of our arms manufacturers, whom some of our lovely optimistic people would say could manufacture in a week enough arms to supply an army. I know one concern in Cleveland which took a big shell order. They promised deliveries of something like 1,500 a day at a certain date. The job looked very easy, but it took them four months beyond the promised date to get even 200 shells a day through the plant."

### Engineers Ready to Aid.

"There is one body of men in the United States who have the ability through their training and through the fact that they have been instrumental in the development of all American industries, qualified to render the most efficient service to the army and navy. I refer to our engineers. The officers of the army and navy are the equal in personnel of the officers of any similar positions in the world. Many of us think they are the superiors. They have been educated at West Point and Annapolis. They have lived with these problems of naval warfare and land warfare, and they have studied fighting and all the rules of strategy and are masters in their line. But, generally speaking, these men have not had the hard knocks in the commercial end and in that manufacture of goods in quantity which will best fit them to go out and institute a general mobilization of the industrial resources of this country.

They cannot be expected to do that, but they are specialists in their own line. We, engineers and manufacturers, do not know anything about the fighting end of the business. We could not tell these gentlemen how they should handle their troops or how they should handle their fleet, but we do know the industrial game, and when the time comes, all theory aside as to what might be done or ought to be done, the people in this country who will have to bear the brunt of war will be the manufacturers and engineers, who will have to organize almost to a man in support of the forces doing the actual fighting.

### Prepare in Time of Peace.

"In the working out of this plan in a concrete way, we have in the five national technical organizations, the American Society of Civil Engineers, the American Society of Mining Engineers and American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the American Institute of Electric Engineers, and the American Chemical society, a group of 36,000 men representing every phase of industrial life in this country. It is this group of men already organized, and working in co-operation with the officers of the navy and army, who will be able to do the industrial organization work which must be done before we can be truly prepared. The only way to make our resources available—the only way to organize the industries of the United States for national service—is to do it quietly and efficiently in time of peace. We cannot do it at the last minute when we are trying to turn a back somersault because there has been a declaration of war the night before. We have had a pretty fair lesson in the Spanish-American war, and we will probably have another lesson in the Mexican affair before we are through with it. It may be a good lesson, and wake us all up to what war in 1916 means."

### Like Fire Insurance.

"That these manufacturers and engineers will do this work there is not the slightest doubt in the world. They will do it, not because they hope for material advantage to accrue to them or to the concerns which they control—and many of them are the leading business men of the country—but they will do it, if you please, upon the same basis that we all carry fire insurance. I refuse to believe that patriotism is any less of a vital influence in America—but put this upon the cold-blooded basis of insurance if you like. I believe that there are thousands of concerns in this country who have never had one dollar's worth of government business, and who would not consider taking one dollar's worth of government business, for war materials in time of peace. It would conflict with their regular lines of work, and they are rushed to death with business in these regular lines. My own concern, for two or three years, has had subdealers' names on the books, who have scarcely ever seen one of our motor cars which they themselves have owned. Unfortunately, this is not a mere figure of speech, so why should we ask for government business? We are willing, however, to take a standing order for a certain small number of shells or any other material of that character which our equipment is fitted to produce, and deliver that material each year under government inspection. Goods produced under this educational system could be sent in to depots, which preferably should be located in the middle West. This would be merely on the basis of organization and education, to fit the factories to swing in on this complicated new work if it should ever be necessary."

### Fit Factories for Work.

"By taking a small order, say even for ten shells of one size, we shall have broken in every department of our works as to the handling of that particular munition. Our purchasing department will learn where and how to buy materials. Our factory will learn how to machine, how to best treat, how to test and inspect to government standards. The engineering department will have in its files up-to-date drawings and specifications for quick use. We have enough manufacturing equipment in this country so that we can concentrate and specialize a concern on some one thing and say, 'Gentlemen, in case of war that is the particular thing we are going to call upon you for in such and such quantity,' and if congress will give to our navy and war departments power to exercise judgment in placing these small educational orders throughout the country, it will have done as much to fit this country to defend itself as through appropriating money for a tremendous increase in army and navy. Army and navy will be taken care of as a matter of course. These other things cannot be handled except through the closest kind of co-operation between a nationally organized industry and the various departments of the government."

## WATER POWERS NOT GOLD MINES

Steam Plants Compete Closely In Electric Production.

By HERMAN B. WALKER.

There have been few questions before congress concerning which so much misunderstanding and misinformation exists as with reference to the pending water power legislation. The Shields and Myers bills propose terms under which capital will be encouraged to build water power plants. Opponents of these measures would pass laws the effect of which would be to discourage investment in these enterprises.

Nobody denies the importance of our water powers or that it is well to have them put to work. To be told, however, as the country has been told, that water powers are so important and valuable that a great trust is seeking to grab and control them all in order that it may dominate all power using industries in the country, is ridiculous to one who knows anything of the question.

In the first place, water power is not always cheap power. In many sections of the country it is cheaper to generate electricity by steam than to develop the local water powers. The steam turbine and other improvements in machinery in the last dozen years have brought about this situation. The average cost of building a water power plant is from \$100 to \$150 per horsepower. Some very large water powers can be developed for less, but they are the exceptions. A big modern steam plant can be built for \$40 or \$50 per horsepower. Counting interest, taxes, depreciation, obsolescence, etc., on this additional investment, it often happens that it is cheaper to build and buy coal for a steam plant. The actual economy in use of water powers is confined solely to the saving in coal and labor bills.

Then, too, the question of which kind of power is cheaper depends very much upon the use made of the power. Electric current in large quantities cannot be put in storage and kept until needed. It must be generated at the moment of use. Where electricity is used for chemical, metallurgical and other industries which run day and night, water power may be cheaper, even counting larger interest and overhead charges. It doesn't cost much more to run a water power plant continuously than to run it a few hours a day. The more continuously it is operated the less is the cost per kilowatt of the current generated. Where power is needed for general utility purposes—house lighting, street cars and industries that run only eight or ten hours a day—the water power plant is not economical, because its full capacity, which must be used to make the power cheap, cannot be utilized, and it is often cheaper to generate current in a steam plant which can be shut down part of the time without so much loss in overhead charges.

It is like a farmer borrowing money to buy a tractor to do his plowing. If he has a farm big enough to keep the machine busy most of the time, it is a good investment and saves him money. If he has only a few acres to plow, and the machine stands idle most of the time, it would be cheaper for him to do his small plowing with a horse. For the reasons given a big steam plant is now being built in Buffalo, although Niagara Falls, the biggest water power plant in the world, is only a few miles away. Buffalo's utilities and industries, running only part of the time, can get power cheaper from coal, while big chemical plants which run day and night have located at Niagara because for their purposes the power is the cheapest available.

Where there are water powers that can be developed and operated advantageously it frequently happens that to use them to advantage these water powers have to be supplemented by steam plants. In some cases one stream will have a low water season at a time when another stream is running in flood. If these two water powers can be utilized in one system it is possible to get a more constant and uniform supply of power than if they are under separate control.

Chief Engineer O. C. Merrill, of the U. S. Forest Service, explains the advantages of monopoly in the power business in a recent report to the United States Senate, as follows:

Monopolization of the supply in any given territory makes possible through interconnection of stations and through diversification of load, economies of operation that would not be possible for isolated independent stations. Interruptions to service may be lessened, the needs of the customer may be better served and rates may be lower with a single power system than with several. No better service is given and no lower rates charged than in California, where, notwithstanding the considerable municipal development, 90 per cent of the total primary power is owned by public service corporations, or in Montana, where 80 per cent is owned by two affiliated corporations.

Water powers are not always gold mines by any means. The records show that something like \$125,000,000 is invested in water power plants in the United States that have been in operation for a number of years without having paid a dividend to the stockholders and in some cases without having earned interest on their bonds. Census figures show that the average net earnings of all commercial power stations in the country, steam and water power combined, are only about 6 per cent on the investment and that the profits of water power companies have been less than 5 per cent.